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BIRTHS.

CONOLLY.—September 15, at Rocky Mouth, Clarence River, Mrs. R. B. Conolly, of a son.

HAMILTON.—September 23, at her residence, Commercial Hotel, Ballina, Richmond River, the wife of James Hamilton, of a daughter.

LEEDER.—September 29, at Church-street, St. Peters, Mrs. Thomas Leeder, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

CRAUSE—ROSS.—September 4, at St. James's Church, by the Rev. C. F. Garnsey, Henry A. Crause, late of Gosford, to Elizabeth A. Ross, relict of the late John L. Ross, of Edinburgh, Scotland.

DICKENS—GASCOIGNE.—September 6, at St. Ann's Church, Ryde, by the Rev. G. H. Britten, George, eldest son of Edmund Dickens, Buckinghamshire, England, to Emma, eldest daughter of James Gascoigne, of Ryde.

FERGUSON—HARVEY.—September 20, at Sunnyside, Castlereagh River, by the Rev. Alexander M'Ewen, Peter, third son of Alexander Ferguson, Esq., Youlbong, to Janet Mill, third daughter of Mrs. Harvey, Sunnyside.

ORR—ASHCROFT.—September 26, at St. Luke's, Liverpool, by the Rev. C. F. D. Priddle, William, eldest son of Mr. John Orr, of Parramatta, to Susan, second daughter of the late Mr. Thomas Ashcroft, of Liverpool, New South Wales.

DEATHS.

BROWNJOHN.—September 24, at her residence, Cavendish-street, South Kingston, after a long and painful illness, Selina Ada, the beloved wife of Henry Brownjohn, aged 43 years, leaving an affectionate husband and daughter to mourn their loss.

CALLEN.—September 30, at Bank of New South Wales, Parramatta, the infant son of Claudius Beresford and Elizabeth Callen.

DALY.—October 1, at his residence, St Leonards, Bernard Daly, in the 61st year of his age. May his soul rest in peace. Amen.

MUNRO.—August 2?, at her residence, Wellington-street, Kingston, Isabella Dowie, relict of the late Henry Munro, leaving a family of nine and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss.

WHEELER.—At his residence, Macquarie-street, Liverpool, Jonas Wheeler, aged 47 years.

SHIPPING.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited).
OVERLAND ROUTE,
via Torres Straits and Singapore.
The magnificent new steamship
BOWEN,
J. Miller, commander,
under contract with the Government of Queensland,
will leave Cosmopolitan Wharf on
SATURDAY, October 6, at noon, taking mails, goods, and passengers.
The facilities of passengers by this route proceeding to any of the European or Eastern ports from Singapore are as follows:—To Europe—Mail steamer weekly, and frequent other opportunities. To Bombay, Madras, and Ceylon—Mail steamer weekly. To Calcutta—Fortnightly. To Manila—Fortnightly, in connection with French mail steamer from Europe.
Passengers can be booked for Venice, Brindisi, and Southampton, and forwarded by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamers.
For rates of freight or passage apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents, 52, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO SOMERSET (without transhipment).
The Eastern and Australian Mail Steamship Company's powerful and favourite
S.S. BOWEN,
J. Miller, commander,
will leave the Cosmopolitan Wharf at noon on SATURDAY, the 6th October.
No cargo received after 2 p.m. on FRIDAY.
Special rates for cargo and passengers.
Apply to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents, 52, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO COOKTOWN (without transhipment).
The Eastern and Australian Mail Steamship Company's powerful and favourite
S.S. BOWEN,
J. Miller, commander,
will leave the Cosmopolitan Wharf at noon on SATURDAY, the 6th October.
No cargo received after 2 p.m. on FRIDAY.
Special rates for cargo and passengers.
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PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO.
OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, THROUGH AMERICA.
Under contract with N. S. W. and N. Z. Governments.
CITY OF NEW YORK,
3000 tons, W. B. Cobb, commander,
will be dispatched
on FRIDAY, 19th October, 1877, carrying her Majesty's mails and passengers to Auckland, Honolulu, and San Francisco.
Tickets payable in gold, in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.
Rates of passage and freight, and for all other information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents, Spring-street.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
The Company's steamship
AVOCA,
1482 tons, 250-horse power,
W. H. Pockley, commander,
will leave Sydney for MELBOURNE, on MONDAY, 8th October, 1877, at noon, in connection with the departure from that port of the Company's steamship
ASSAM,
3033 tons, 500-horse power,
which will be dispatched on THURSDAY, the 1st November, 1877, for ADELAIDE, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, and GALLE, with H.M. mails, passengers, cargo, and specie; also, for INDIA, MAURITIUS, JAVA, SINGAPORE, CHINA, JAPAN, and EUROPE.
Cargo and parcels will be received until 5 p.m. on the 26th, specie at 10 a.m. on the 27th October.
For information on all subjects connected with the Company's various lines, apply to
HENRY MOORE, Agent.
Moore's Wharf, 1st October, 1877.
Passengers' accommodation in ASSAM allotted in Sydney by plans in office.
Passage money and freight per AVOCA between Sydney and Melbourne, at local rates.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.
TO MELBOURNE.—City of Adelaide, this afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30; and Alexandra, Thursday afternoon, at 4.30. (FARES AND FREIGHTS AT CURRENT RATES.)
TO LEVUKA (FIJI).—Ly-ee-Moon (with English Mail), Saturday, 20th October.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Collaroy, to-morrow morning, Wednesday, at 9; and City of Brisbane, Thursday night, at 11.
TO BRISBANE.—Elamang, this afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30.
TO MARYBOROUGH.—Balclutha, early.
TO ROCKHAMPTON.—James Paterson, to-morrow afternoon, Wednesday, at 4.30.
TO GLADSTONE, TO CLEVELAND BAY, TO CAIRNS (TRINITY BAY) — Victoria (without transhipment), Thursday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO COOKTOWN WHARF, TO CALDWELL, TO KEPPEL BAY, TO FLAT-TOP ISLAND, TO PORT DENISON — Florence Irving, Monday afternoon, at 1.
CARGO is now being received for transmission to any of the above PORTS.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION CO.—Steam to
GLADSTONE,
COOKTOWN WHARF,
CAIRNS (TRINITY BAY) and
TOWNSVILLE,
(DIRECT WITHOUT TRANSHIPMENT.)
The splendid and favourite steamship
VICTORIA, 1500 tons,
T. A. Lake, commander,
will be DISPATCHED for the above ports on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at 4.30.
FARES and FREIGHTS at CURRENT RATES.
This vessel has unrivalled accommodation for Live Stock, inspection of which is invited.
For particulars apply to
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY.—The S.S. KEMBLA will leave SYDNEY for NEWCASTLE, THIS (Tuesday), TO-MORROW (Wednesday), and on THURSDAY and FRIDAY NIGHTS, at half-past 11; and will leave NEWCASTLE for SYDNEY TO-MORROW (Wednesday), and on THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY MORNINGS at 10.
H. D. PORTUS, Manager.
Offices—Lime-street Wharf, foot Erskine-street, Sydney; and Scott-street, Newcastle.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. COMPANY.—STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE.
FROM SYDNEY.
THIS (Tuesday) NIGHT, at 11, the Maitland.
TO-MORROW (Wednesday) NIGHT, at 11, the Morpeth.
Goods received for Clarence Town THIS DAY.
(Freight payable in Sydney.)
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices, foot of Market-street.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG.—To-night 11, to-morrow 9.15 a.m.
KIAMA and SHOALHAVEN.—To-night, at 11.
MERIMBULA and EDEN.—To-morrow, 9.15 a.m.
TATHRA (for Bega).—To-morrow, 9.15 a.m.
ULLADULLA and CLYDE.—Friday, 9.15 a.m.
MORUYA and TATHRA.—Friday, 11 p.m.

PARRAMATTA, RYDE, ERMINGTON, and NEWINGTON STEAMERS leave KING-STREET, THIS DAY, at 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5; leave Parramatta, 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. GLADESVILLE STEAMERS leave King-street, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12.30, 1, 3, 4.15, 5, 6.15, calling at HUNTER'S HILL, and COCKATOO. FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, and BURWOOD, leave King-street at 7, 10, 12.30, 4.15, 6.15. Fares about half railway rates.

THE CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched from the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street North, as follows, weather permitting:—

Ship.	Date of Sailing.
FOR GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER:	
CITY OF GRAFTON	THIS NIGHT, Tuesday, 2nd October, at 9, direct.
FOR MACLEAY RIVER:	
AGNES IRVING....	MONDAY, 8th October, at 9 p.m. direct.
FOR RICHMOND RIVER:	
PLATYPUS	WEDNESDAY, 3rd October, at 4 p.m., taking cargo at greatly reduced rates.

Intending Passengers are invited to inspect the superior accommodation on board these steamships.
Passage rates to and from Grafton.
Saloon: Single ticket .... £3 0 0; Return ditto 5 0 0
Steerage: Single ticket .... £1 15 0; Return ditto 3 0 0
JOHN WHITE, Secretary, Sussex-street.

THE CLARENCE AND NEW ENGLAND STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS, from Commercial Wharf, foot of King-street.
For GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER via NEWCASTLE.—The S.S. NEW ENGLAND, TO-MORROW (Wednesday) NIGHT, at 9.
FARES.
Saloon ticket .. £3 0 0 Return ticket .. £5 0 0
Steerage ditto .. 1 15 0 Ditto ditto .. 3 0 0

STEAM TO MANNING RIVER Direct.—The new steamer BEAGLE, Captain Herses, will leave Caledonian Wharf, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 sharp.
JNO. RITCHIE, Agent, King-street.

S. S. N. CO.'S s.s. DAIRYMAID for SHELL-HARBOUR and GERRINGONG direct, TO-NIGHT, at 6, from Caledonian Wharf. No cargo after 5. JOHN RITCHIE, Agent, King-street.

STEAM TO RICHMOND RIVER.—The new steamer BONNIE DUNDEE will be dispatched about FRIDAY next, from the Patent Slip Wharf.
G. and B. NICOLL, Erskine-street.

STEAM TO HOBART TOWN, calling at EDEN, TWOFOLD BAY.—The fine steamship TASMAN, 700 tons register, will be dispatched from the GRAFTON WHARF, on TUESDAY MORNING, 9th October, at 9.
For freight or passage apply to T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 48, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, AND MARYBOROUGH.
The M. S. S. CO. will dispatch their STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

Ship.	Master.	Sailing Date.
FOR MELBOURNE:		
MACEDON....	F. H. Stanford	THIS DAY, Tuesday, 4 o'clock.
YOU YANGS..	Chas. Ashford	FRIDAY, Oct. 5.
BARRABOOL..	John Pain....	TUESDAY, Oct. 9.
FOR BRISBANE:		
EDINA........	J. H. South..	SATURDAY, Oct. 6.
FOR MARYBOROUGH:		
EDINA........	J. H. South..	SATURDAY, Oct. 6.

carrying passengers and cargo. Return tickets issued to and from MELBOURNE, available for three (3) months, by any of the Company's steamers, leaving every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, and vice versa. Cargo received for the above ports every day.
These vessels have their SALOONS amidships, and are victualled by the owners.
Steerage passengers supplied with bedding.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND.—The favourite powerful steamship
HERO, 1000 tons,
Thomas Logan, commander,
will leave the Grafton Wharf for Auckland direct on or about WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 4 p.m.
Passengers should book early. The saloon is amidships.
Shippers are requested to apply for shipping orders without delay.
Passengers booked for the famous Waiwera Hot Springs.
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents, 52, Pitt-street.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (Limited).
Fortnightly communication to all New Zealand Ports.

Ship.	Tons	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
ROTORUA ..	1000	J. Macfarlane	TO-MORROW, via Auckland.
WAKATIPU.	1796	A. Cameron..	About 20th October, via Wellington.

NEW CALEDONIA.
TAIAROA, on arrival next Suez mail.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

FIRST STEAMER TO AUCKLAND.—The Union Company's splendid new steamship
ROTORUA,
will be dispatched from SMITH'S WHARF TO-MORROW at 4 p.m., booking cargo and passengers to all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.
Shippers are requested to engage space at once.
CARGO received up to 5 p.m., THIS DAY, and not later than NOON TO-MORROW.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND DIRECT.—The S. S. EASBY, 2400 tons burthen, W. Anderson, commander, will sail from Dibbs's Wharf, for WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, and PORT CHALMERS, on or about WEDNESDAY, 3rd instant: also taking cargo and passengers for TRANSHIPMENT to the West Coast, Nelson, Westport, Hokitika, Greymouth, &c. For freight or passage apply to FORD, ADAMS, and CO., Circular Quay.

STEAM TO NEW ZEALAND FROM MELBOURNE.
ARAWATA, 10th instant, via Bluff.
RINGAROOMA, 17th, via Bluff.
Through tickets to and from all New Zealand Ports issued by the undersigned.
JOSEPH WARD and CO., Bridge-street-chambers.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS, THIS DAY (weather permitting), leave Queen's Wharf 7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 4.30, 6, 7*
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 11.45, 2.30
Manly Beach, 8.10, 9, 12, 3.15, 4.45, 5.30, 8* p.m.
Trips marked thus * omitted on Wednesdays.
Fare: Return ticket, 1s 6d; children; 1s. On Saturdays and Sundays return ticket 1s.
N.B.—Extra late boats will leave Sydney for Manly Beach on WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS at 11.15 p.m.
Dogs travelling with the passengers will be charged 1s per head.

SUMMER EVENING TRIPS. MANLY BEACH. MANLY BEACH.
During the summer months, commencing 1st October, steamers will leave Circular Quay at 4.30 p.m., 6 p.m., and 7 p.m., returning from Manly at 8 p.m.

FOR LONDON.—The magnificent ship
GILROY,
1677 tons register, A1 at Lloyd's for 100 years,
Robert Leslie, commander,
will load with dispatch for LONDON.
To secure a good passage, the Gilroy will be docked and painted before her departure.
WOOL received at Marsden and Son's Wool Stores.
For freight and all information apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents; or to
FRED. EBSWORTH, Broker.

FOR LONDON.
For February Wool Sales.
For Wool and Passengers only.
The magnificent 100 A1 clipper barque
GLADSTONE,
1159 tons register,
John Jackson, commander,
having the bulk of her wool on board, and stowed, and requiring only a limited number of bales to complete her loading, will be dispatched about the 10th instant.
Intending passengers are invited to inspect the very superior accommodation of this splendid ship. The second cabin is situated in the forward part of the poop.
For freight or passage apply to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
Wool received at Flood and Co.'s.

STEAM TO LONDON, via THE SUEZ CANAL.—The Pacific Steam Navigation Co.'s magnificent steamer
CHIMBORAZO,
3847 tons register,
3000-horse power effective,
will leave Sydney
SATURDAY, the 20th OCTOBER,
CALLING AT MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE,
carrying first, second, third, and steerage passengers.
To be followed by the

Ship.	Tons.	To sail.
S. S. CUZCO	3845	10th December.
S. S. LUSITANIA	3825	

WOOL, TIN, AND OTHER PRODUCE FOR NEW YORK.—Shippers are requested to notice that a through bill of lading will be given for wool, tin, and other produce shipped by this line hence to London, to be transhipped there into the National Steam Navigation Company's steamers for New York.
Passengers stopping at Port Said can proceed to Venice by local steamers and spend the winter months on the Continent, en route to England.
Canal dues, eight shillings each passenger.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., General Agents.
WOOL received at MARSDEN and SON'S.

MESSRS. MONEY WIGRAM AND SON'S LINE of STEAM and SAILING PACKETS will be dispatched from Melbourne for LONDON direct, as follows:—

Ship.	Commander.	To sail.
		1877.
S.S. DURHAM	F. Anderson..	Nov. 7.
TRUE BRITON	G. M. Miller..	Nov. 10.
S.S. NORTHUMBERLAND	H. H. Shinner	Dec 5.
HAMPSHIRE, via the Cape of Good Hope	R. Ridgers ..	Jan.
S.S. KENT	G. F. Gibbs..	Feb.

The ACCOMMODATION for all classes of passengers is unsurpassed. PROVISIONS of the best quality are supplied. Each vessel carries a duly qualified surgeon.
PASSAGE MONEY, £16 and upwards; a LIBERAL ALLOWANCE made to families. RETURN TICKETS issued at reduced rates.
PASSAGE ORDERS are issued to persons desirous of sending for their friends at home.
For all particulars apply to
M. METCALFE and CO., 9, Bridge-street.

FOR LONDON.
FOR FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
To follow the Gladstone.
the fine A1 Aberdeen clipper ship
JOHN DUTHIE,
1031 tons register,
Alexander Levie, commander,
will be dispatched as above.
For freight or passage apply to the Captain, on board; or to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
WOOL received at FLOOD'S.

FOR LONDON.
For the February Sales.
The favourite regular trader
AGNES ROSE,
993 tons, G. Innes, commander,
will be dispatched as above.
Has superior accommodation for first-class passengers, in saloon, and for second-class in house on deck.
For freight or passage apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
Wool received at Marsden and Sons'.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON.—FOR THE FEBRUARY SALES.
The A1 clipper ship
HARLAW,
894 tons register, A. STEPHENS, Commander, having all her DEAD WEIGHT on board, and a large portion of her WOOL in store, will be dispatched on the 9th of OCTOBER.
For freight, or passage apply to Captain STEPHENS, on board, at Circular Quay; or
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at Talbot's.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON. For the February Sales.
The magnificent clipper ship
SAMUEL PLIMSOLL,
1444 tons register, R. BOADEN, Commander, having large engagements, will be dispatched October 27th.
For freight or passage apply to Captain BOADEN, on board, at Circular Quay; or
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at Talbot's.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON direct.
The favourite clipper ship
NINEVEH,
1174 tons, John Ross, commander,
having a considerable portion of her cargo engaged, will be dispatched as above for
THE FEBRUARY SALES.
Wool and other cargo now received at Talbot's stores.
For freight or passage apply to Captain Ross, on board; to MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE, 5, Gresham-street; or to HENRY AUSTIN, 35, Hunter-street.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON. FOR THE FEBRUARY SALES.
The splendid clipper ship
PATRIARCH,
1339 tons register,
H. PLATER, Commander,
will be dispatched as above.
Has superior accommodation for SALOON passengers.
For freight or passage apply to Captain PLATER, on board; or
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at Talbot's.

FOR FRIENDLY and NAVIGATOR ISLANDS.—Barque RECONNAISSANCE now receiving cargo at Market Wharf, and to sail the 4th October. For freight or passage apply Captain Coot, on board; Palser, York-st.

FOR MAURITIUS direct.—The A1 clipper barque VICUNA,
319 tons register, C. Dinsdale, commander,
will be dispatched as above.
For freight apply to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FOR ROCKHAMPTON.—The clipper brig COLIBRI, being under charter, will have prompt dispatch. For freight, apply to
J. J. AITKEN, 53, Exchange-corner.

ONLY VESSEL for ROCKHAMPTON.—Clipper Brig, AFRICAN MAID, will sail positively on THURSDAY next. Room for dead weight only at low rates. G. W. TATE, Agent, 86, Sussex-street.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Regular trader VICTOR sails on Wednesday, from Market Wf. R. N. SADLEAR.

ELLEN, for EDEN and TATHRA, on TUESDAY. Freights paid to H. CLARKE, Victoria Wharf.

S. S. CHIMBORAZO, from London.—Consignees of goods by this vessel are requested to pass Customs ENTRIES at once for Dibbs's Wharf. Any goods impeding the discharge will be cleared, landed, and stored at the consignees' risk and expense, and the ship will not be responsible for any damage to or loss of cargo after it is landed. Bills of lading must be produced at the office of the undersigned, and orders for delivery obtained, before the goods will be delivered.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents, Spring-street.

NOTICE to the CONSIGNEES OF CARGO ex s. s. Easby, from New Zealand. GOODS are now being landed at the Newcastle S. S. Co.'s Wharf, Lime-street. Freight to be paid and orders for delivery got at the office of the agents.
FORD, ADAMS, and CO., Circular Quay.

SHIP AMANA, from London.—All CLAIMS against this ship must be rendered in duplicate to the undersigned immediately or they will not be recognised.
COWLISHAW, BROTHERS, Agents.

SCHOONER JESSIE MATILDA, from Port Mackay.—Consignees are requested to take delivery of goods at once at Dibbs's Wharf, the vessel not being responsible for cargo after landing same.
MOODIE and MONRO, Agents.

HARBOUR EXCURSIONS.—QUANDONG, for HIRE: terms mod. Dry Dock Ferry, Erskine-st.

TONNAGE wanted, for HONOLULU.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

CENTREBOARD FISHING BOAT for SALE, 22 feet, built by Langford, everything complete. Apply R. BANKS, Rushcutter Bay.

FOR SALE, a new Skiff DINGY, cheap. Apply manager Government boat shed, Circular Quay.

KETCH PEARL, 35 tons burthen, for SALE. Apply to Corrigan and Reidy, 84, Sussex-street.

THE MELBOURNE HARBOUR TRUST.
TO STEAM-TUG PROPRIETORS.
Written offers will be received until noon on the 15th of October proximo, from Steam-tug Proprietors desirous of Chartering an efficient Steam-tug of about 50-h.p. nominal, to be employed in connection with the dredging operations in river Yarra.
Further particulars can be obtained at the office of the Commissioners.
RICHARD FORD, Secretary.
William-street, 28th September, 1877.

STEAMSHIP SOUTHERN CROSS.—The time for receiving TENDERS, at HOBART TOWN, for putting in New Machinery and making Alterations, has been EXTENDED ONE WEEK, from 30th instant.
Sydney, September 24, 1877.

WANTED, Light SKIFF or DINGY, with gear complete. Baraclough, 77, William-street.

WANTED, for the E. and A. S. S. BOWEN, a duly qualified SURGEON. Apply with references, &c., to BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents, 52, Pitt-street.

FLOATING DOCK, DARLING HARBOUR.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO., Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. Masts, spars, and ship timber of every description always on hand.

MEETINGS.

TO THE SUBSCRIBERS OF THE FUND FOR THE ERECTION OF THE GREAT SYNAGOGUE, ELIZABETH-STREET, Sydney.
A GENERAL MEETING of the Subscribers of the Jewish faith to the fund for the erection of the GREAT SYNAGOGUE, ELIZABETH-STREET, is hereby convened, in accordance with and under and by virtue of the provisions of the eighth section of the Act of the Governor and Legislature of the colony of New South Wales, passed in the thirty-sixth year of the reign of her present Majesty, intituled the "JEWISH SYNAGOGUE and SCHOOLS ACT of 1872," and will be held on MONDAY, the 8th day of October, 1877, at the Sydney Synagogue, York-street, Sydney, at the hour of half-past 7 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of nominating a President, Treasurer, and eight Committeemen to form the Board of Management for the current Jewish year, and for such other business as may then occur.
By order,
DAVID COHEN, Hon. Secretary.
Sydney Chambers, York-street, Sydney,
September 26, 1877.

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—A Vacancy in the Council having occurred through the resignation of Mr. Sloper, a Special General MEETING of the Members will be held at No. 128, Phillip-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 2nd day of October next, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a Member of Council in his stead.
WM. GRITTON, Secretary.
September 11, 1877.

PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
MEMBERS are reminded that those gentlemen whose subscriptions are in arrear on the 2nd October next cannot vote at the election for a new member of the Council, to take place on that date.
WILLIAM GRITTON, Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND.
The Annual Public MEETING of this Institution for the presentation of the Annual Report and Treasurer's Accounts, will be held at the Institution, NEWTOWN ROAD, on MONDAY AFTERNOON next, October 8, at 3 o'clock.
His Excellency the Governor has kindly consented to preside.
ELLIS ROBINSON, Honorary Secretary.
Subscribers and friends of the institution are invited.

INDIAN FAMINE RELIEF FUND.—A MEETING of the Sub-committee appointed to consider resolutions to be submitted to the public meeting, to be held next Monday, will be held THIS DAY, Tuesday, at half-past 11 o'clock, in the Town Hall, George-street.
J. WALTER SMART, Hon. Sec. pro tem.

PRINCE ALFRED YACHT CLUB.—NOTICE is hereby given that a General MEETING will be held in the Club Rooms, Exchange, on TUESDAY, 2nd October, at 8 p.m.
By order.
L. A. VESSEY, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer.

WORKING MEN'S Defence Association (Pyrmont branch), meets To-night, at Cooper's Arms, 7.30.

LORNE C. C.—Important General MEETING, TO-MORROW (Wednesday) EVENING, New York Hotel, at 8 o'clock. Business: re Picnic, &c.
G. W. LLOYD, Hon. Sec.

I. O. O. F.—LOYAL PRIDE OF THE SOUTH LODGE, No. 3, N. S. WALES.—A Special MEETING will be held THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7.30., in the New Temperance Hall, Pitt-street. Business: Consideration of by-laws. Members will please attend.
JAMES HIND, Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES COURSING CLUB.—A General MEETING of the Members will take place at the Royal Hotel, Sydney, at 4 p.m., on THURSDAY, the 4th instant.
Business: To fix dates for next season, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
CHARLES S. GREGORY, Secretary.

SYDNEY UNIVERSITY UNION.—A MEETING, next FRIDAY. Debate: "That Democratic Institutions tend to withdraw the better class of citizens from political life." FRED. W. GIBSON, Hon. Sec.

REDFERN MUTUAL BENEFIT ASSOCIATION.—The Annual General MEETING, will take place THIS EVENING, at 7.30 o'clock, in the Town Hall. Every member requested to attend. S. MALLARKY, Sec.

NO. 1 TOTAL ABSTINENCE BENEFIT SOCIETY.—A Special MEETING of the above society will be held in the Temperance Hall, THIS EVENING.
Business: Election of Medical Attendant and Chemist.
All members requested to attend.
N. J. AUSTIN, Secretary.

HYPERION C. C.—MEETING, Wednesday Night, at 8, Archer's Hotel, St. John's Rd., Forest Lodge.

MASONIC.—United Service Lodge, No. 937, E.C.—Regular Monthly MEETING, THIS EVENING, at 7.30. Brethren of H. M. S. invited. 'Bus. Initiations and passings. T. WYNN, Knight Secretary.

ST. ANDREW'S ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 110 S.C.—The Monthly CONVOCATION is convened for THIS DAY, at 7.30 p.m. prompt. Installation of officers elect.
By order of the M. E. Z.
E. CANTOR, Scribe E.

NO. 1 VOL. FIRE CO.—Meeting THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock, Pitt-street station. A. Scott, super'ent.

CALEDONIAN SOCIETY.—Usual Monthly MEETING, This Evening, 8, Temp. Hall. M'Cormick.

MASONIC UNION.—General MEETING of Members will be held THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7.30, Masonic Hotel, York-street. Members requested to attend, important business. E. H. WILLIAM, Hon. Sec.

WOOLLAHRA L. I. C. C.—Regular Meeting To-night. Every member requested to attend. G. Gales.

LECTURES.

TEMPERANCE HALL, Pitt-street.
Mr. THOMAS WALKER
will deliver a LECTURE, in the Trance state, in the Temperance Hall, on WEDNESDAY EVENING next, the 3rd proximo, at 8 o'clock.
The Hon. J. BOWIE WILSON will preside.
The SUBJECT will be received from the audience, and their QUESTIONS thereon invited at the close.
Admission, 1s; reserved seats, 2s. Doors open, 7.15 o'clock.

QUEEN'S THEATRE, SUNDAY EVENING next.—Natural v. Supernatural Religion—Arguments of Advent Conferences and Spiritist Nonsense, demolished in a Lecture, by Professor HAMILTON, 19, Hunter-street.

COMING MEN; by W. D. Cavanough.

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Continuation of the series of Articles on
THE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES OF NEW SOUTH WALES."
No. 3.—The Timber Trade (continued).
WITH SEVERAL ENGRAVINGS OF PUBLIC INTEREST.
THE SYDNEY MAIL, SATURDAY, 6th OCTOBER.

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AGENCY and INQUIRY OFFICE.—Inquiries conducted for private individuals, legal and mercantile community. Missing friends, &c., traced. OTTO BERLINER and CO., 4, Bond-street, off 276, George-st.

CAPTAIN JOHN WILLS please call upon Mr. Clar to-day. Letter from Bathurst.

ELLIOTT and THOMAS, Missing Friends, Private and Confidential Agents. All communications strictly confidential. Office—61, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

FRED. PEARCE, Saddler, of Bathurst, write to Chauter's Hotel, 84, King-street, Melbourne.

IF JACK and TOM will call on THOMAS BIRCH, Petersham, they will hear something to their advantage.

IF this should meet the eye of the person who lodged at the New Zealand Boarding-house, 100, Sussex-street, who wanted JAMES BEVERSTOCK, please call again; he will hear of something.

J. THOMSON.—Mr. GREENFELD'S STUDIO of PHOTOGRAPHY will open, on the 1st of October, at 434, George-street, over Fletcher's boot shop, three doors from Royal Hotel. The new Studio has been built on the latest American principles, giving extreme softness of light, and he will be most happy, after the above date, to Photograph the Children by the new instantaneous process.
No further connexion with the old place after the 1st of October.

MISS PERCY, Dressmaker.—Call on Mrs. ROBERTSON, 433, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.

MR. P. GRANT GILKS.—Call upon HAMPSON and GIBSON immediately.

MR. ASHTON, Engraver.—Please call on S. Palmer and Son, woollen drapers, 529, George-street.

MESSRS. GUNDERSON and FRICKE are requested to call at once. Goodlet and Smith, 483, George-st.

LOOK out for the GIRLS' DRILL on SATURDAY.

WANTED, the Van Men who removed furniture from Miles-st., S. H. Reward, City Arms, Stanley-st.

WANTED, the address of Mrs. RENWICK, Dressmaker. W. F. Martin, Sussex-street.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned GILES MAWSON SEYMOUR and JOHN HENRY SEYMOUR, as Outfitters, &c., at Wagga Wagga, under the style of Seymour and Co., was on this twelfth day of September, dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm, will be received and paid by the said John Henry Seymour, by whom the business will from this date be continued.
Dated this twelfth day of September, 1877.
G. M. SEYMOUR,
J. H. SEYMOUR.
Witness to the signature of Giles Mawson Seymour—A. STAPLES.
Witness to the signature of John Henry Seymour—A. STAPLES.

DR. A. B. MORGAN begs to intimate to his patients that he has entered into PARTNERSHIP with Dr. GORDON M. ROBERTS, from this date.
Burwood, October 1, 1877.

LOST AND FOUND.

LEFT, in Woolloomooloo 'bus, OPERA GLASS, much prized. Reward 300, Victoria-st., Darlinghurst.

LOST, Saturday morning, English THRUSH. Handsome reward, 169, Woolloomooloo-street.

LOST, black Retriever DOG. Reward. Apply C. KING, King's-lane, Woolloomooloo.

LOST, last Tuesday, brown retriever DOG. 10s reward if returned to W. J. SUGDEN, North Shore.

LOST, between Margaret and Pitt streets, a Lady's CUFF and Solitaire. Reward at 65½, Clarence-st.

LOST, from Albert Ground pavilion, Saturday last, black Leather BAG. H. Holden, Commercial Bank.

LOST, a HEBREW BOOK, for Feast of Tabernacles. Reward at 4, Francis-street, Hyde Park.

LOST, on Saturday, on Moore Park, black-and-tan Terrier Slut; reward. E. Fitzgerald, Paddington.

LOST, between Surry Hills and Oxford-street, a gold EARDROP. Reward, 32, Oxford-street.

LOST, Volunteer LAND ORDER. Apply for reward to R. M'PHERSON, Iona House, Newcastle.

LOST, a leather BAG, and a pair of SPECTACLES, 5s. Reward. 100, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo.

LOST, Saturday morning, in Oxford-street, a red BOOK, from Maddock's Library; vol. 3. Manila House, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

LOST, near Cleveland or Regent streets, a small Black BAG, containing wearing apparel. Reward if returned to Mr. HAMILTON, Chemist, Redfern.

LOST, between Masonic Hall and Pitt-street, FRONT of SCENT-BOTTLE, pearl bee in centre; reward. 25, Myles-street, off Crown-street, Surry Hills.

LOST, a French Poodle PUP, answers to the name of "Dot," with a red braid collar. Anyone bringing the same to 272, George-street, will receive 5s reward.

LOST, on the Stand at the Albert Ground on Saturday last, a lady's Serge JACKET, silk-lined. The finder will oblige by leaving it at 49, Hunter-street.

LOST, in train, between Parramatta and Penrith, on Friday, a Lady's BAG, containing Spectacles, &c. A reward will be paid on returning to Mr. GOULD, Parramatta Station.

LOST, from 3, Merriman's-buildings, Miller's Point, Black and Tan Terrier SLUT. Finder will be rewarded; any one detaining same after this notice will be prosecuted. J. F. BOWDEN, 3, Merriman's-buildings.

LOST, Newfoundland DOG; name and address in full on collar—"J. T. Hunt, 8, Thomson-street." Any one detaining such dog after this notice will be prosecuted as the law directs.

LOST, on Monday morning, between La Perouse and Captain Cook Hotel, Moore Park, a slate-coloured GREATCOAT; in the pocket there were three letters, cigars, and other small articles; letters particularly desired. Apply Royal Hotel, George-street.

LOST, Fixed Deposit RECEIPT of the Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, No. a. 22245, for £1000. Payment stopped. Of no use to any one but owner. Reward on delivery to Bank New South Wales, Sydney.

STRAYED, a MAGPIE; any person returning the same to Mrs. Prendergast's, Botany-st., Waterloo, reward.

STRAYED to my premises, Kangaroo SLUT, branded C., can have by paying. G. Rollinson, Rose Bay.

STRAYED, from Glenmore Road, on Sunday morning last, small brown or mouse-coloured DOG, black face, smooth skin, picked nose, small legs, like Italian greyhound. Any person giving information respecting him as will lead to his recovery shall be rewarded. Mrs. Weaver, Harbour View House, Glenmore Road, Paddington.

THE Lady who took a White SHAWL from the Oddfellows' Hall, by mistake, on Friday Night last, will please return same to Temperance Hall when she will receive her own.

5s REWARD.—Lost, between Johnston's bush and railway line, TASSEL off a chain. Return the same to Mr. HUDSON, opposite Baptist Chapel, Newtown.

£1 REWARD.—Left in railway carriage on Friday evening, in train leaving Sydney at 6.35 p.m., for Newtown, a Black Leather BAG, containing papers and parcel. E. F. STEPHEN, 130, Pitt-street.

£5 REWARD, on conviction of the person or persons who stole a black-red English Game COCK from St. Clair, Elizabeth Bay.

TEN SHILLINGS Reward.—LOST or STOLEN, PURSE, with cash and crossed cheque, drawn in favour of Mr. Guise by — Jelly. Reward at J. EVE'S, Tobacconist, 205, Pitt-street, near Post Office.

5s REWARD.—LOST, on Sunday night, either in St. Mary's Temporary Cathedral, or between there and Milson's Point ferry, a Gold BROOCH. Reward on bringing it to 31, Riley-street, Woolloomooloo.

FOUND, a PURSE, containing money. E. CROFT, City Bank, Oxford-street.

FOUND, near tollbar, Paddington, a sum of MONEY. THOS. MILLER, 284, Pitt-street.

FOUND, in George-street, PURSE, containing pawn tickets. Apply Dog and Duck Hotel, Haymarket.

FOUND, a GALA PARROT. The owner can have the same by paying the expenses and giving description. Mrs. PAGETT, Druitt Town, Liverpool Road.

FOUND, a Black Newfoundland DOG, with brass collar bearing the words "My name is Norval" on it. The owner can have it by paying expenses. Apply 283, Clarence-street South.

HAS been straying about Botany, twelve months or more, a yellow COW, branded WH on back, near side; has now strayed into my paddock. owner can have it by paying expenses. Apply W. WRIGHT, Botany.

RELIGIOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

UNITED EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE.—The following SPECIAL MEETINGS will be held by Dr. SOMERVILLE during this week.
THIS EVENING there will be a SERVICE for persons residing at a distance from Sydney. For particulars, see Advertisement.
On WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON there will be a Meeting of MINISTERS and STUDENTS in the MASONIC HALL, at 3 o'clock.
On WEDNESDAY EVENING, a meeting for "Intemperates," will be held in the Masonic Hall, at 8 o'clock.
On THURSDAY AFTERNOON, Dr. Somerville will meet the ladies of Sydney in the Congregational Church, Pitt-street, at 3 o'clock, to resume consideration of the subject of Christian Work.
On THURSDAY EVENING there will be a meeting for Young Men, in the Congregational Church, at 7.30 o'clock.
N.B.—Admission to the Meetings on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY will be by Ticket, free, which may be had on application to the Secretaries, at the Masonic Hall, after the mid-day Prayer Meeting; or at the Young Men's Christian Association Rooms.
FRANCIS TAIT, THOMAS B. TRESS, Secretaries.

UNITED EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE.—A SPECIAL SERVICE for the benefit of persons residing at a distance from Sydney, will be held by Dr. SOMERVILLE, THIS EVENING, in the Exhibition Building, at 7.30 o'clock.
Tickets, free, will be issued ONLY TO PERSONS IN THE COUNTRY. MINISTERS AND OFFICE-BEARERS are requested to apply for tickets to the Secretaries at the Young Men's Christian Association Rooms, George-street, Sydney.
Special train and steamboat as advertised.
FRANCIS TAIT, THOMAS B. TRESS, Secretaries.

UNITED EVANGELISTIC COMMITTEE.—SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICE for persons from the country by the Rev. Dr. SOMERVILLE, THIS EVENING, 2nd October, in the Exhibition Building, Sydney, at 7.30 o'clock.
The residents of Parramatta, Blacktown, Windsor, Richmond, Penrith, Fairfield, Liverpool, Campbelltown, and vicinity are respectfully informed that the Committee have made arrangements with the Commissioner for Railways to issue excursion tickets to enable them to attend this service.
For particulars see railway advertisement.
A boat will leave King-street wharf, calling at Ryde and intermediate stations, at 11 p.m.
Signed. FRANCIS TAIT, T. B. TRESS, Hon. Secretaries.

ST. JAMES'S CHURCH.—On THURSDAY EVENING, the 4th instant, there will be a CHORAL SERVICE, commencing punctually at 7.30.
A collection will be made towards defraying the expenses incurred in the improvement of the organ. And on SUNDAY the 7th, the offerings both in the morning and evening will be in aid of the same object.

VOLUNTEER NOTICES.

VOLUNTEER FORCES.
Brigade Office,
Sydney, 1st October, 1877.
BRIGADE ORDER. No. 130.
3. The Commandant's PARADE for SATURDAY next will take place in Moore Park.
The 1st and 2nd Regiments of Rifles to be formed up in line of quarter column, facing east, with 12 paces interval, by 3.45 p.m. Field-day order (full dress).
Headquarters Band to attend.
Neither Artillery nor Engineers will be required to attend this parade.
By command.
(Signed) H. B. B. CHRISTIE, Major, Major of Brigade.

V. A. BRIGADE.—The Batteries detailed to Camp at Middle Head will Parade in full dress uniform, with baggage, at Circular Quay, near the Custom-house, at 7 p.m., on FRIDAY next, the 5th instant. Members who are unable to join the Camp on Friday are requested to do so by 3 p.m. on Saturday. Any small package they may require at Camp will have to be at Dawes Battery by 2 p.m. on the above date. Members may obtain permission to leave the Camp on Sunday evening, through the Officers commanding their respective Batteries.
By order.
WARREN SPALDING, Major, Adjutant V. A. Brigade.

HEAD-QUARTERS BAND.—PARADES for October.
Saturday, 6th—Commandant.
Ditto, 13th—Rifle Range.
Thursday, 18th—2nd Regiment.
Saturday, 20th—Botanic Gardens.
G. D. CALLEN, Lieutenant.

4 RIFLES.—Company Drill, TO-NIGHT, Hyde Park, 7.30. J. J. DAVEY, Captain.

5 BATTERY, V.A.—All Members who purpose attending the Camp at Middle Head, 5th to 8th instant, will meet at the V. A. Brigade Office, O'Connell-street, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7.30 sharp.
W. GORE BEVERLEY, Captain.

NO. 9 V. A.—Gun Drill on WEDNESDAY NIGHT, at Dawes Battery, at 8 o'clock; drill order.

10 BATTERY.—GUN DRILL, Dawes Fort, TO-NIGHT, 7.30. J. H. Walker, Lieut. Com.

NO. 11 VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.—Members of the above Battery attend MEETING This Evening, at Wallace's Burdekin Hotel, William-st., 7 o'clock (important). No uniform. E. Masters, Lieut.-in-Command.

NOS. 1 AND 2 HIGHLANDERS.—DRILL, THIS EVENING, 7.30, Hyde Park, after which election of Committee for Highland Gathering, 1878.
H. J. CHISHOLM, Captain,
ALEXANDER FRASER, Lieutenant.

SOUTH SYDNEY V. R.—Special DRILL at 8 o'clock, THIS EVENING. J. B. HILLIER, Captain.

CAUTION.—Purchasers of V. L. ORDERS are cautioned against purchasing a Land Order, drawn out in the name of the undersigned, the same having been LOST by me. ROBERT M'PHERSON, Iona House, Newcastle.

LAND ORDERS wanted for cash; liberal advances made. P. J. SHOPPEE, 474½, George-street.

TENDERS

TENDERS invited, to SATURDAY, 6th October, for erecting Weatherboard Villa, near Braidwood. Full particulars with the Architect,
FERDINAND REUSS, Jun.

TENDERS invited, until SATURDAY, 6th October, for each trade or the whole in one sum in Additions and Alterations to "Finningham," St. Peter's, Cook's River Road. Plans, &c., at the office of the Architect, 183, Pitt-street, opposite City Bank.
FERDINAND REUSS, Jun.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS will be received up to the 8th of October for the erection of a Wesleyan parsonage at North Shore, as follows:—
1st. Excavators', masons', and bricklayers' works.
2nd. Carters', joiners', and finishing trades.
3rd. The whole in one sum.
Plans and specification may be seen at the Office of THOMAS ROWE, Architect, Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street.

TENDERS invited for the Erection of a School and College, with residence, at Ashfield, for John Kinloch, Esq. Plans and specification on application to J. HORBURY HUNT, Architect, 91, Pitt-street.

TENDERS wanted, for CONVEYANCE of about 180 tons Cast-iron CYLINDERS from Sydney to Rockhampton, in two or three lots. Apply Manager, Mort's Dock and Engineering Company (Limited), Balmain.

TO BRICKLAYERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Brickwork of two Villas, at Burwood. Labour and materials. For plans, &c., apply to W. BAILEY, Builder, STANMORE.

TENDERS invited until Thursday, 11th instant, for the Erection of a Weatherboard Villa. Plans, &c., at F. H. REUSS, Sen., Architect, 142, Pitt-street.

TENDERERS for Braidwood Villa, at Mr. REUSS, Jun.'s Office can obtain quantities from C. E. MAYES, Kingston.

TENDERS.—TENDERS are invited up to November 1st for the Erection of a STORE, 50 x 30, built of brick and stone, at Lithgow. Plans and specifications can be seen on application to the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
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October 1.

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In order to enable the public to judge of the merits of his company, the members of which are nearly all new to the Sydney boards, Mr. Simonsen has decided to open his season with well-known operas. Subsequently, several standard operas never heard before in Australia will be produced.

No expense will be spared to make the season a success, and the manager will use his utmost endeavours to place the different operas on the stage in as efficient a manner as possible. New and appropriate scenery has been painted for each opera, and all the operas will, for the first time in Australia, be given in their entirety.

The orchestra will consist of eighteen performers, the majority of whom will be recognised as ranking amongst the best musicians in Australia.

A chorus of twenty-two voices, if not the largest, may safely be stated to be the best in Australia. Having been under the same management for the last nineteen months, the members of the chorus have had signal opportunities of becoming note-perfect in the operas forming the repertoire of the company.

The dresses, appointments, and properties were bought in London, Paris, and Berlin, at an enormous outlay.

TO-NIGHT
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will be presented Lecocq's world-renowned Opera Bouffe
GIROFLE GIROFLA.
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GIROFLA.
with the following distribution of characters, including full chorus:—

Girofle / Girofla ....Madame FANNY SIMONSEN
Marasquin.....................Mr. Henry Bracy
Mourzouk.....................Mr. T. B. Browning
Bolero d'Alcarazas.....................Mr. H. Hodgson
Chief of Pirates.....................Mr. B. Levison
Godfather.....................Mr. Darbyshire
Godmother.....................Mrs. Benham
Notary.....................Mr. L. Benham
Lawyer.....................Mr. H. Hughes
Groomsman.....................Mr. Ewart
Old Uncle.....................Mr. H. Benham
Danier.....................Mr. Weber
Gusman / Fernando / Almanzar — Girofle's Cousins......Mr. J. Johnson / Mr. Crothers / Mr. Kennedy
Pedro.....................Miss Minna Fisher
Parquita.....................Miss Maud Walton
Aurora.....................Miss Blanche Harris

WEDNESDAY EVENING,
Vincent Wallace's Grand Romantic Opera,
MARITANA.

Box office at Messrs. Nicholson and Ascherberg's Music Warehouse, where reserved seats may be secured.
Stall and Pit tickets on sale at Mr. E. Cole's, stationer, King and George streets.
Private Boxes (accommodating five) ...... One Guinea.
Dress Circle, 3s; Stalls, 2s; Pit, 1s.
Doors open at 7.30; curtain will rise at 8.
Carriages may be ordered at 10.45.

VICTORIA THEATRE.
Stage Manager.....................Mr. B. N. JONES.

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SATURDAY next,
October 6,
Mr. J. J. BARTLETT
begs to announce that he has effected arrangements for the production of a New Play, entitled
DRILL; A PARADE OF GIRLS OF THE PERIOD,
by Harold W. H. Stephen,
the well-known
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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS AND OTHERS.
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N.B.—Ticket will be available for NEXT SATURDAY, on occasion of the SYDNEY AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB SPORTS.
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SCOTS' CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL.—EXCURSION to CHOWDER BAY, on THURSDAY, 25th October.
Tickets, 2s, can be had from any of the Committee.
N.B.—The Committee are requested to meet THIS EVENING, at 7.30.
A. GREIG, Hon. Sec.

NOTICE—FISHING EXCURSION.—Steamer Empress of India will leave Circular Quay, THURSDAY, 4th instant, 8 a.m. sharp. Bait provided. Tickets 5s. Eastways', and J. Halstead, C. Quay; weather permitting.

FISHING EXCURSION by Steamer Princess, on THURSDAY, Circular Quay. Tickets at Eastway's.

ST. FRANCIS' HALL, TO-MORROW (Wednesday). Grand Special ENTERTAINMENT, by Mr. John Moran; assisted by Mrs. Jenny Moran, and Messrs. Harry Simmons, Fred. Leston, C. Silvester, W. Moran, Harriss, Crosse, Graydon, Blanchard, and others. Admission, 1s; children, 6d. J. J. GILCHRIST, Secretary.

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CRICKET—Reports of Matches
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AQUATICS, YACHTING, and ROWING.
THE SYDNEY MAIL. Subscription, 6s per quarter.
Publishing Office—Hunter-street Sydney.

A CRICKET GROUND to LET, for the 6th October. Apply to S. Corderoy, 150, Pitt-street.

THE SCANDINAVIAN ASSOCIATION'S PIC-NIC.—A Picnic will take place at Pearl Bay, on SATURDAY, the 20th October, being the third Anniversary of the formation of the Association.

ULTIMO Cambridge C. C.—2nd Eleven Disengaged for 6th, 13th, and 20th October; 3rd and 17th Nov.

BILLIARDS.—Devil's POOL, £1 prize given, Saturday, October 6. Sussex Arms, Paddington.

THEATRE ROYAL.
Sole Lessee and Director ....Mr. S. Lazar.
Treasurer..........................Mr. James Booty.

THIRD WEEK
of
Miss EMILY SOLDENE
and her renowned and complete
ENGLISH COMIC OPERA COMPANY,
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LA FILLE DE MADAME ANGOT.
THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, October 2nd, and every evening until further notice, Lecocq's popular opera, in three acts,
LA FILLE DE MADAME ANGOT.
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As performed by the Soldene Company for Hundreds of Nights at the Lyceum Theatre, Gaiety Theatre, and Opera Comique, London.
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PRICES OF ADMISSION.
Dress circle, 5s; stalls, 3s; family circle, 2s; pit, 1s.

The BOX PLAN open daily from 11 till 4 at NICHOLSON and ASCHERBERG'S, where dress circle seats may be secured, and tickets obtained for all parts of the house.
Carriages at 10.30.
NO FREE LIST, THE PRESS EXCEPTED.
SAMUEL LAZAR.

A GRAND INAUGURAL SOIREE
will be held in the
WESLEYAN SCHOOLROOM,
William-street,
WEDNESDAY, 3rd October,
in connection with the
WILLIAM-STREET YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.
Rev. GEORGE LANE, President in the chair.
Tea on tables at 6.30,
after which the following programme of
SACRED MUSIC
will be rendered in the Church,
by the CHOIR, assisted by Miss WISEMAN and several Ladies and Gentlemen, under the direction of
T. W. CRAVEN, Esq., Organist of the Church.

PROGRAMME:
PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS....Rev. GEORGE LANE
Anthem—"Behold, how good and joyful"....Dr. Clark Whitfield
CHOIR.
Aria—"With Verdure Clad" ("Creation")......Haydn
Miss WISEMAN
Anthem—"The Lord preserveth the Souls of His Saints" Barnby
CHOIR.
Solo (contralto)—"Love not the world" ("Prodigal Son")..................A. S. Sullivan
Mrs. CRAVEN.
Chorus—"Hear my Prayer"............Charles Gounod
CHOIR.
Aria—"He shall feed His flock" (Messiah) ......Handel
Miss WRIGHT.
Duet and Chorus—"I waited for the Lord" (Lobgesang) Mendelssohn
Miss WISEMAN, Mrs. CRAVEN, and CHOIR.
Aria—"Absalom"..................Hon. Mrs. Norton
Mr. SIMONS.
Anthem—"Like as a Father pitieth his children" J. L. Hatton
CHOIR.
Aria—"How beautiful are the feet" (Messiah) ....Handel
Miss WISEMAN.
Air and Chorus—"Lord how long" (Christus) Mendelssohn
Mr. SIMONS and CHOIR.
Solo (Contralto)—"Lord thou hast searched me out" (Woman of Samaria)..............W. S. Bennett
Mrs. CRAVEN.
Anthem—"Holiest, breathe an evening blessing" (Italian Chorale)
CHOIR.
Duet—"O Lovely Peace" (Judas Maccabeus)....Handel
Miss WISEMAN and Mrs. CRAVEN.
Doxology—"Praise God from whom"......Martin Luther

ORGANIST......T. W. CRAVEN, Esq.

Admission by Ticket—1s 6d each,
which may be obtained from Mr. Swyny, William-street; Wesleyan Book Depot, King-street; and Members of the Association.
E. N. MURRAY, Hon. Secretary.

MR. W. STANLEY has the honour of informing his friends and pupils and the public generally, that he intends giving a CONCERT of Sacred and Secular Music, in St. James's Schoolroom, Castlereagh-street, on THURSDAY EVENING, 25th October, on which occasion he will be assisted by Miss Wiseman, Miss K. Horniman, Mr. A. Fairfax, and several gentleman amateurs, supported by a chorus of about 30 voices.
Full particulars shortly.

SPENCER'S Royal Polytechnic, 222, Pitt-street.—Open daily from 10 a.m. till 10 p.m. Concert at 8.

EXCURSION TO CLONTARF, MIDDLE HARBOUR,
SATURDAYS and SUNDAYS.
STEAMER will leave Circular Quay, 2.30 p.m.; Woolloomooloo, 2.45.—FARE: Return ticket, 1s.
THOMAS HESELTON, Manager.

EDUCATIONAL.

ASHFIELD.—The College.—Mrs. HARRY at home on WEDNESDAY, from 10 to 4.

ARITHMETIC, Writing, Bookkeeping, at Sydney School of Arts. Tues. and Thursday evgs., 7.30 to 9.

A LADY will educate (with music, &c.) Pupils for board and residence. R.Z.E., HERALD.

BURWOOD.—Miss LESTER desires to refute a report of her intention to discontinue her boarding-school. No day or weekly boarders received. Few vacancies. No Michaelmas vacation. Linsdowne House is within 15 minutes' walk of train.

CLIFF LODGE, Glebe Point.—Classes reassemble MONDAY, 8th. Principal—Mrs. Rowley Horsley.

CIVIL SERVICE MUSICAL SOCIETY.—Full Practice This Evening. S. M. Mowle, hon. sec.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, Glebe Point.—Work will be resumed on MONDAY, October 8.
THOMAS J. BOWYER, M.A.

CALDER HOUSE, REDFERN.—Studies will be resumed after the short vacation, on MONDAY, 8th instant.
J. DAVID SLY, M.A., LL.D., Principal.

DARLINGTON HOUSE, Newtown Road.—The Misses HOGG. School duties resumed October 2.

GLAMMIS, Paddington.—Mr. J. W. FLETCHER, M.A., late Scholar of Pembroke College, Oxford, has vacancies for BOARDERS and DAY SCHOLARS. The Christmas Quarter will commence on MONDAY, October 1.

HYDE PARK LADIES' COLLEGE. Mrs. Pillars. The ensuing quarter will commence October 8th.

LYCEUM SCHOOL Bathurst-street, requires the services of a competent ASSISTANT MASTER.

LADIES' School, Dublin-terrace, Botany-street, Moore Park. The ensuing quarter commences October 1.

MR. R. CURTIS' School.—Work will be resumed on Wednesday, 3rd. Belgrave-terrace, Darlinghurst.

MISS DONAHAN, Teacher of Pianoforte, 355, Yonater., Victoria-st., Darlinghurst; visits Woollahra.

MR. BLACKMORE'S School, 96, Hunter-street. Summer Term commenced MONDAY, October 1.

MISS MARSH'S Drawing CLASS, at North Shore, will reassemble TUESDAY, 9th instant. Care of Miss Macarthur, The Cliff, Milson's Point.

MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS. MENSURATION CLASS.
A Free Elementary Class for the above study will commence on FRIDAY EVENING next, at 7 o'clock. F. BRIDGES, Esq., Teacher.
JOHN ROGERS, Secretary.

OAKLANDS, Mittagong.—The Christmas Term will commence on SATURDAY, October 6.
E. SOUTHEY

PETERSHAM.—ESTABLISHMENT for Young Ladies, Waverton, Norwood-street. Principals—Mrs. and Misses ELLA. Christmas quarter commences October 2nd. Vacancy for one resident Pupil.

PEMBROKE COLLEGE (for Young Ladies).—Principal, Mr. HERBERT EVANS.
Referees:—The Very Rev. Dean Cowper, Rev. J. H. Kingsley, Sir George Wigram Allen, Rev. G. H. Moreton, Rev. S. C. Kent, Rev. Canon Stephen, Rev. Hulton King, Rev. T. B. Tress, Rev. J. D. Lang, D.D.; Rev. Thomas Wilson.
Observatory House, Randwick.

ST. JOHN'S LADIES' COLLEGE, Darlinghurst Rd. —Work will be resumed October 8.

ST. MARK'S-CRESCENT, Darling Point. — The Misses MACAULAY'S Preparatory SCHOOL for Boys. The Christmas term will commence on MONDAY, the 8th October.

SPRINGFIELD COLLEGE, Macleay-street. Principal—Madame de MONSIGNY.
The Michaelmas Holidays will terminate on MONDAY, October 8th.

THE Misses BURT, Petersham, receive a limited number of PUPILS. Vacancies for BOARDERS. Christmas Quarter will commence October 2nd. No Michaelmas vacation.

SINGING AND PRODUCTION OF THE VOICE.—Signor ARTURO STEFFANI, late Primo-Basso Assoluto of the Royal Italian Opera and Carl Rosa English Opera, of London, having terminated his engagement with the Italian Company now performing in Australia, is prepared to give instruction in English and Italian Singing, and the Production of the Voice. Prospectus of terms, Signor STEFFANI, Lindum House, 148, Castlereagh-st.

THE MISSES HOOPER will receive their pupils on the 8th instant. 28, Upper Fort-street.

THE Misses GILLAN, Atlantus, 170, William-street. Duties will be resumed on MONDAY, October 8th.

THE Misses MARTIN, Rosebank, Darlinghurst.—The Spring term will begin MONDAY, October 8, when studies will be resumed.

THE SCHOOL, VICTORIA HOUSE, MITTAGONG.
Principal, Mr. Edward Corner, formerly Student of King William's College, Isle of Man.
The course of instruction comprises, English, Mathematics, Classics, French, Music, and Drawing.
Prospectuses on application.
Duties resume MONDAY, 1st October.

A LADY, much experienced in teaching, requires a RE-ENGAGEMENT as Governess to young children, or any light employment not menial. Open a week. Address Tuition, HERALD Office.

A HIGHLY accomplished resident Governess and Companion required, for a young lady, capable of teaching English, French, and Music; lady recently from England preferred; testimonials; duties light. R. O., HERALD.

WANTED, a competent ASSISTANT-MASTER. Lyceum School, Bathurst-street.

DANCING.—Mr. H. GILTINAN'S Class for Pupils and Visitors, new Oddfellows' Hall, Elizabeth-street, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, October 22.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

Department of Mines,
Sydney, 25th September, 1877.
NOTICE TO APPLICANTS FOR MINERAL LEASES.—NOTICE is hereby given that unless the lessees execute and take delivery of the undermentioned Mineral Leases within thirty days from this date they will be declared void.
E. A. BAKER.

PEEL AND URALLA MINING DISTRICT.
Nos. 1150 and 1151 Robert M'Donald; portions No. 64 and 65; locality, county of Hardinge, parish of Swinton; area, 20 a each; date of selection, February 28, 1872
1365 and 1366 J. B. Watt and A. Stuart: 68 and 69; county of Harding, parish of Cope's Creek; 20 a each; March 16
1879 and 1880 F. Wyndham: 51 and 55; county of Gough, parish of Clive; 20 a each; April 4
2096 and 2097 J. C. W. Hinsch; 112 and 113; county of Hardinge, parish of Darby; 20 a each; April 9
2098 Fletcher and Grant; 180; county of Hardinge, parish of Cope's Creek; 20 a each; April 9
2158 to 2160 S. H. Darby, T. Caley, and J. A. St. Clair; 131 to 133; county of Hardinge, parish of Cope's Creek; 20 a each; April 10
2239 P. Gorman and W. Gurd; 118; county of Gough, parish of Clive; 20 a; April 12
2246, 2246A to 2250 E. Baker; 12 to 17; county of Hardinge, parish of Williams; 20 a each; April 12
2614 J. M'Donald, A. Simon, and others; 35; county of Hardinge, parish of Maye; 40 a; April 27
3524 George Woods; 66; county of Gough, parish of Clive; 20 a; May 14
3525 Ditto; 215; ditto, ditto; 20 a; May 14
3526 Ditto; 167; ditto, ditto; 20 a; May 14
4161 E. A. Scarvell; 138; ditto, ditto; 20 a; May 28
4162 Ditto; 316; ditto, ditto; 20 a; May 28
4958 W. Grant; 525; county of Hardinge, parish of Cope's Creek; 20 a; June 8
6752A R. Lawson and C. E. Cox; 11; county of Gough, parish of Blain; 20 a; June 18
7855 to 7858 C. K. Moore; 131 to 134; county of Inglis, parish of Haning; 25 a each; November 6
9833-4 Armidale Prospecting Co.; 195; county of Hardinge, parish of Cope's Creek; 37 3 r 20 p; July 30
9836 Ditto; 232; ditto, ditto; 20 a; July 30
10108 W. Ferguson; 263; county of Hardinge, parish of Aston; 40 a; July 31
10868 to 10870 M'Carthy and Kingscote 33, 34, and 31; county of Hardinge, parish of Tienga; 20 a each; August 8
10923 and 10924 Charles Cowper; 19 and 11; county of Gough, parish of Clive; 20 a each; August 9
13927 to 13932 C. J. Griffiths and J. Gaffney; 131 to 136; county of Gough, parish of Land's End; 20 a each; September 16
14097 to 14099 F. Kellermann, W. Shirlow, and others; 56 to 58; county of Arrawatta, parish of Athol; 20 a each; September 18
14100 W. T. Langworthy, jun.; 55; ditto, ditto; 20 a; September 18
14446 Darby, Champain, and Rollings; 320; county of Hardinge, parish of Darby; 30 a; September 25
16500 to 16504 D. Henderson and others; 92 to 96; county of Gough, parish of Wellington, 20 a each; November 8
16563 Simpson, Cameron, and others; 317; county of Hardinge, parish of Darby; 20 a; November 12
16924 J. Rose and W. Fletcher; 11; county of Darling, parish of Eumur; 20 a; November 23
17476 to 17480 Jenkins, Curry, and others; 358 to 360, 351 and 352; county of Gough, parish of Herbert; 20 a each; January 6, 1873
18611 R. R. Dight; 126; county of Buckland, parish of Carrol; 30 a; February 10, 1874
18612 J. G. Dight; 125; ditto, ditto; 30 a; February 10
18821 to 18823 W. Maund and E. Stevens; 126 to 128; county of Gough, parish of Arvid, 20 a each; May 15.
NEW ENGLAND AND CLARENCE MINING DISTRICT.
2356A to 2363 Guy Wyndham; 100 to 107, 48 to 51; county of Clive, parish of Binghi; 20 a each; April 30, 1872
2664 to 2667 R. Laird and G. Murray; 70, 75, 71, 74; county of Clive, parish of Bluff Land; 20 a each; April 30
3994 to 4004 Murray and Hynard; 93 to 103; county of Gough, parish of Wellington Vale; 20 a each; May 23.
6747 to 6751 Partridge, Boyce, and Herbert; 39 to 43; county of Clive, parish of Bluff Land; 20 a each; June 28
13475 J. J. Walsh; 142; county of Gough, parish of Strachan; 20 a; September 10
13978 and 13979 E. P. Carr; 425 and 426; county of Buller, parish of Ruby; 20 a each; September 17
15310 to 15314 Edward Williams; 285 to 289; county of Buller, parish of Wylie; 20 a each; October 14
16817 John M'Master; 84; county of Gough, parish of Wellington North; 20 a; November 20
18201 I. M. Blake, jun.; 408; county of Clive, parish of Binghi; 20 a; August 8, 1873
18917 to 18929 T. Bawden; 26 to 32, 37 to 40, 43 and 44; county of Drake, parish of Pulganbar; 20 a each; June 12, 1874
13921 to 13926 C. J. Griffiths and J. Gaffney; 89 to 94; county of Gough, parish of Muir; 20 a each; September 16, 1872.
NOT WITHIN A MINING DISTRICT.
12806 and 12807 A. Kirpatrick and S. A. Harris; 2-2 and 2-3; near Coonbaralba Station, Barrier Ranges; 40 a each; August 30, 1872
17786 W. Jobson and G. Topham; 51; county of Argyle, parish of Norrong; 20 a; March 24, 1873
17960 C. Leicester and G. Topham; ditto, ditto; 20 a; June 9
18056 J. L. Montefiore and A. Sandeman; 68; county of Northumberland, parish of Wallarah; 100 a; July 8
18262 to 18265 R. H. C. Sempill; 236 to 240; county of Camden, parish of Cambewarra; 40 a each; September 5
18266 R. H. C. Sempill; 238; ditto, ditto; 148 a; September 5
18267 R. H. C. Sempill; 241; ditto, ditto; 193 a; September 5
18268 R. H. C. Sempill; 248; ditto, ditto; 166 a; September 5
18268A R. H. C. Sempill; 249; ditto, ditto; 89 a; September 5
18289 to 18292 R. H. C. Sempill; 243 to 246; ditto, ditto; 40 a each; September 23
18649 C. Robinson and A. Lindsay; 91; county of Northumberland, parish of Kahibah; 60 a; March 18, 1874
18758 and 18759 W. Wolfen; 75 and 76; county of Camden, parish of Coto; 60 a each; April 15
SOUTHERN MINING DISTRICT.
8906 J. Partridge, J. Rogers, and J. Macintosh; 8; county of St. Vincent, parish of Bulee; 20 a; July 20, 1872
8907 to 8912 Ditto; 15, 14, 29, 30, 33, 34; county of St. Vincent, parish of Tonga; 20 a each; July 20
8913, 8914, 8915A Ditto; 4, 3, 9; county of St. Vincent, parish of Bulee; 20 a each; July 20
12881 to 12886 George Adams; 56 to 60; county of Argyle, parish of Inverary; 20 a each; September 2
17319 J. Connors, W. Lynch, and others; 83; county of St. Vincent, parish of Goba; 20 a; December 17
17334 Donald M'Alister; 80; county of St. Vincent, parish of Goba; 20 a; December 18.
BATHURST MINING DISTRICT.
9692 to 9694 M. Saber, E. Saber, S. Mohr, and H. Mohr; portion No., 48, 47, 46; county of Georgiana, parish of Meglo; 20 a each; July 29, 1872
9697 and 9698 Ditto; 44, 43; ditto, ditto; 20 a each; July 29
9699 to 9704 Ditto; 30 to 25; county of Georgiana, parish of Blackman; 20 a each; July 29
18369 W. Anderson, J. M'Clunie, and others; 61; county of Georgiana, parish of Thalaba; 40 a; November 3, 1873.
LACHLAN MINING DISTRICT.
4425 and 8426 P. H. Scott and — Trevarthen; portion No., 179 and 180; county of King, parish of Boorowa; 20 a; July 17, 1872
10825 and 10826 William Davies; 7 and 8; county of Monteagle, parish of Narellan; 20 a each; August 8
18741A Adams, Weekes, and Beasley; 46; county of Harden, parish of Bookham; 20 a; April 8, 1874.
TUMUT AND ADELONG MINING DISTRICT.
8325 W. Thompson, J. Kinsela, and others; portion No., 123; county of Murray, parish of Goorooyarroo; 20 a; July 17, 1872
14859 W. H. Brooks; 62; county of Wallace, parish of Gygederick; 40 a; October 4.
MUDGEE MINING DISTRICT.
12435 H. E. Kater; portion No., 125; county of Wellington, parish of Wellington; 20 a; August 27, 1872
13074 ditto; 124; ditto, ditto; 20 a; September 4.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.
GREAT SOUTHERN, WESTERN, AND RICHMOND LINES.
For the convenience of Country Visitors attending the Public Service to be conducted by Dr. SOMERVILLE, in the Exhibition Building, on TUESDAY next, the 2nd October, tickets at single fare for the double journey will be issued on that date to SYDNEY, from Campbelltown, Penrith, Richmond, and intermediate stations (excepting Parramatta and other suburbs) by the up afternoon trains arriving in Sydney at 5.50 p.m. from the South, and 6 p.m. from the West, respectively; available for return by any passenger train up to midnight of the following day. The same privilege will be allowed to visitors from Parramatta by the up train leaving there at 6 p.m. on the 2nd.
Holders of these tickets can return the same night, if they desire to do so, by the train leaving Sydney at 10.30 p.m. for the South, and the goods-train (to which passenger carriages will be attached), leaving Sydney at 10 p.m., for the West, including stations on the Richmond line.
(Signed) JOHN RAE,
Commissioner for Railways.
Department of Public Works, Railway Branch.
Sydney, 28th September, 1877.

PASTORAL LEASES ACT OF 1869.
SALE OF THE UNEXPIRED TERMS OF LEASES OF FORFEITED RUNS OF CROWN LANDS IN THE UNSETTLED DISTRICTS.

Department of Public Lands,
Pastoral Occupation Branch,
Brisbane, 13th August, 1877.
The attention of Stockowners and others is drawn to the Notices in the Supplement to the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE of the 11th instant, having reference to the undermentioned Forfeited Runs, situated in the unsettled districts, the unexpired terms of the leases of which will be offered for sale by auction, at the Rooms of Arthur Martin, Queen-street, Brisbane, on TUESDAY, 2nd October, 1877.
The above-mentioned notices set forth the upset prices, areas, unexpired terms of lease, and descriptions of the boundaries of the runs in question, and when surveyed, the survey fee payable.
Plans of the surveyed runs may be seen, and all information obtained, at the Public Lands Office, Brisbane.
JOHN DOUGLAS.

MARANOA DISTRICT.
Valentia — Hillside
Cardiff — Christmas.
WARREGO DISTRICT.
Cunno, No. 1 — Salsette.
Prospect
LEICHHARDT DISTRICT.
The Plain — Lower Palm-tree Creek, No. 3
Moultrie — Nardoo, No. 1
Nardoo, No. 2 — Nardoo, No. 3
Nardoo, No. 4 — Reedy Flat.
MITCHELL DISTRICT.
Emmett Downs, No. 2 — Bland, No. 1
Bland, No. 2 — Adelong
Cheetham Hill, No. 2 — Sheep Hill.
SOUTH KENNEDY DISTRICT.
Cerrievahn — Conway, No. 2
Natal Downs Block, No. 6 — Kangaroo Creek
Cerito — Lowlands
Uhrten — Nether Locharwood
Upper Locharwood — Lookout Block
Lookout Block East — Lookout Block West.
Lookout Block South
BOURKE DISTRICT.
Leichhardt Dows, No. 1 — Leichhardt Downs, No. 2
Leichhardt Downs, No. 3 — Leichhardt Downs, No. 4
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SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, OCTOBER 1.

MATRIMONIAL AND DIVORCE CAUSES COURT.

BEFORE his Honor Mr. Justice HARGRAVE and a special jury of 12.

SIMS V. SIMS.

The evidence in this cause was concluded. Mr. Buchanan and Mr. Cooper addressed the jury.

His Honor will sum up the evidence and direct the jury to-morrow (Tuesday) morning.

INSOLVENCY COURT.

MONDAY.

BEFORE the CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

In the matter of George Henry Wood, a special examination. Insolvent being examined by Mr. Levy, for the official assignee, deposed that his estate was sequestrated at the instance of Messrs. Isaacs and Co.; he was a storekeeper, and hawker carrying on business at Moss Vale; he had been two years in business; he valued his unsecured liabilities at £1008 7s. 8d.; his assets were £332 10s. 6d.; he had been in the habit of doing business with R. Gray and Son; they were his largest creditors; in May last he applied to them for goods on credit to the value of about £100; he offered payment by promissory notes to be endorsed by Mr. Murphy; Murphy had something to do with free selections; he did not know at the time that Murphy was not worth anything; R. Gray did not agree to accept the endorsement; subsequently he gave an order to Messrs. Gray's traveller for £150; the goods were sent up to Moss Vale, and stopped at the Moss Vale station by Gray and Son; in consequence of the stoppage he wrote to Gray and Son the letter produced; afterwards he came down to Sydney, and had some conversation with Mr. Hogg, one of the partners in the firm, as to the cause of the stoppage of the goods; Mr. Hogg told him that he had found out that Murphy was not a good security; he then gave a cheque for the promissory note falling due to them on the 4th June; he made out a statement on the 22nd May of his then assets and liabilities, and gave it to Messrs. Gray and Sons; that showed a balance to his credit of £325; he believed that statement to be correct; Mr. Hogg had agreed to trust him, before making that statement, upon his own promissory notes; he swore that it was not on the strength of that statement that Gray and Son trusted him with the £150 worth of goods; he selected about £30 worth in addition to the quantity for which he had previously given the order to the traveller; he recollected dishonouring his promissory note to Isaacs and Son on the 24th July; he afterwards received a telegram from R. Gray and Son asking him to come down; several telegrams passed, and he came down on the 3rd August; he saw Mr. Hogg, and was questioned about a statement made by Mr. Whitly, a person whom he had discharged from his employ, and who told them that he intended to sell off and do his creditors out of their money; he was asked about failing to meet promissory notes; he then gave a statement of his affairs, telling Mr. Hogg he had stock-in-trade to the amount of £100; he told them he had waggons and horses to the value of £120, and book debts to the value of £150; also that he had a bill of sale over a chemist named Fitzgerald to the value of £25; further, that he had corn and chaff worth £40, not £80; he told what his liability was, he thought it was about £500 and £600; he did not tell Mr. Hogg that the amount was £423; Mr. Hogg did not state that he was satisfied with his position; he told Mr. Hogg that he thought the cause of his being asked to come down was in consequence of his giving a bill of sale to Mr. Cobcroft on the 25th July; he told Mr. Hogg that he had given this bill of sale; Mr. Hogg referred to the Trade Circular, and found that the bill of sale was registered; Hogg asked him did Cobcroft give him any consideration at the time he gave Cobcroft a bill of sale; he said he did not; he did not tell Hogg that he gave the bill of sale to protect creditors having promissory notes against those having current accounts; he told Mr. Hogg, when he gave Cobcroft the bill of sale, it was to secure to Cobcroft for money and a horse he had from him; he did not keep an account in his books of the money he had from Cobcroft; Cobcroft gave him an account of the money; he never entered an account of the money he received; the account with Cobcroft was running for two years; the last money he had was at the end of the year; it was £40; he did not know whether he placed it in the Commercial Bank, where he had an account; he did not place it in the bank; the first money he received from Mr. Cobcroft was £20; that was in September, 1875; the next sum he received was £10, he did not remember the amount; he afterwards got £10 from him; the largest sums he received were £25 and £40; Mr. Cobcroft was an old acquaintance of his; in November last, when Mr. Cobcroft gave him £10, he gave Cobcroft a promissory note for the full amount, which became due in May last; he was up the country when the bill became due; two months after the bill became due Cobcroft told him the bill was overdue and he had not met it; he then asked Cobcroft if he would take a bill of sale over his van, horse, and furniture for £120; Cobcroft said he would if interest was given; he agreed to give the bill of sale for £120, with 6 per cent. interest; Mr. Walker, Mr. Cobcroft's solicitor, drew up the bill of sale; Mr. Hogg advised him to get the bill of sale back, and he agreed to do so; he wrote to Cobcroft asking for it, but he did not get it; two ladies came, through Mr. Woods, to try to buy his business; he did not tell Mr. Hogg that he had £70 in his pocket which he intended to divide among his creditors who had open accounts; he told Mr. Hogg that he had £33 and intended to pay a bill of Mr. Isaacs to that amount; Mr. Hogg told him not to do so, but to go back to Moss Vale and dispose of the rest of the goods, and then return with the money, and his firm, as the largest creditors, would distribute the money; he went to Moss Vale and advertised the goods; he gave an order to the Commercial Bank to receive the proceeds of the sale; the manager of the Commercial Bank came and threatened him that if he did not give him an order on the auctioneer who disposed of the goods he would begin an action against witness; he therefore gave the banker the order; there was no solicitor at Moss Vale; when he gave the bill of sale to Mr. Cobcroft there was no doubt he was in insolvent circumstances, though he did not know it at the time; he sold a buggy in June, and paid the proceeds to Messrs. R. Gray and Son; he paid several creditors with the £33 he had when he came to Sydney, and prior to his insolvency; he paid £4 to Napier, of Nattai, £4 to Pain of Bowral; he accounted for his deficiency by his wife working against him, as well as his shopman Whitly, when he was absent trading with his goods; when he went away he had £400 worth of stock in his shop, and when he came back there was not £100 worth, and his wife had put him to £39 expenses besides. George Alexander Cobcroft deposed that he lent insolvent £120, and he produced a leaf from his ledger showing the details; insolvent gave him a bill of sale on the 25th July; under this he took possession on the day before the sequestration of insolvent's estate; £12 worth of the property specified in his bill of sale was sold by Mr. Taylor, auctioneer, and the same day he sold other articles to the amount of £64 to different people; he received the proceeds of these things; he did not know that insolvent was in difficulties when he got the bill of sale; he wanted £120 at the time. The examination terminated.

In the matter of John Wolstencroft, an examination meeting, Mr. Darley, instructed by Mr. S. C. Brown, appeared on behalf of the official assignee, and examined Michael James Dempsey, who deposed that he had a brother named Thomas Dempsey, who left Sydney on Thursday or Friday week; his brother was in Victoria, and had received a telegram from him to say that he would return by the 8th of the month. The examination was adjourned until the 11th instant.

In the matter of David Leseberg, an adjourned examination meeting. Mr. S. C. Brown appeared for the official assignee, and examined two witnesses, and the meeting was adjourned until Tuesday (this day).

MEETINGS OF CREDITORS.

Tuesday, October 2, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Certificate Applications—Charles Smith, William Arthur Atkinson, Michael Reidy, Constantine Braithwaite, Charles Henry Witton, John Noble, Michael Maney, William Conn, John M'Pherson, George Willoughby, Thomas Edward Ellis, Arthur Campbell (Boon, Hancock, and Campbell), Montague Levien Salamon, Jabez Buckman, Henry Fairfax, Christian Siegfried Monsen, David Leseberg. Before the District Commissioner: At Hay. David Bird, first and only; at Wagga Wagga, Patrick Bergin, same; at Inverell, William Young, second.

Wednesday, October 3, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: G. A. Davis, first and only; Charles Henry Kingwell, same; Arthur Barlow, same; Hamilton White, same; Frederick Heuschkel, same; Edward Beeson, second; Samuel Sullings, first; Sun Hung Kee, special, for proof of debts; Henry Reid Hore, adjourned single. Before the District Commissioner: At Newcastle, Henry Braddon Lover, first and only; at Carcoar, Thomas Nelson, same; at Glen Innes, Duncan Cameron, special, for proof of debts.

Thursday, October 4, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Michael Nash, order nisi for attachment for non-compliance with order absolute of 30th June last; Thomas Adam, motion for release of estate; Henry O'Neill, order nisi for attachment for non-compliance with order absolute of 6th August last; Joseph Smith, ratification of directions; James Alexander Thompson, same; Patrick Stanton, same; Golden Hill Quartz Mining and Crushing Company, rehearing of claim of Francis Plunkett; same, motion to discharge order of 16th August last. Before the District Commissioner, at Orange: Adolph Boesser, special examination of insolvent.

Friday, October 5, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: George Seymour Cock, third; Leopold Girard, third; John Jefferies, first and only; Charles Cornelius Rickard, same; Martin Cahill, same; Aaron Israel, special, for proof of debts; William Thomas Henry Strange Mure, adjourned first and only; Thomas Phillips, special, for proof of debts; Montague Levien Salamon, adjourned special, for proof of debts. Before the District Commissioner, at Tamworth: John Ambrose Gallagher, special examination of witnesses.

SYDNEY QUARTER SESSIONS.

A COURT of Quarter Sessions was opened yesterday morning, at Darlinghurst—Mr. District Court Judge Wilkinson presiding as chairman. Mr. W. J. Foster prosecuted for the Crown. There were fifty-three cases in the cause list, exclusive of several counts against the same prisoners, classified as follows:—Larceny, including stealing from the person and receiving, 18; unlawfully and maliciously wounding, 8; feloniously wounding, 6; obtaining money or goods by false pretences, 3; being found by night in a dwelling-house with intent to commit felony, 3; embezzlement, 3; breaking into and stealing from a dwelling-house, 1; stealing from dwelling-house to value of £5, 2; forgery, 2; attempting suicide, 2; illegally pawning, robbery with violence, inflicting grievous bodily harm, receiving stolen property, and assault with intent, 1 each.

PLEADED GUILTY.

The following prisoners, on their arraignment, pleaded guilty:—William Bowser, forging and uttering; Samuel Meacock, forging and uttering (two charges); William Rowledge, larceny from the person; Sydney Appleton, embezzlement (five charges); Margaret Creed, larceny; Bridget Reynolds, illegally pawning (four charges). They were remanded for sentence.

LARCENY.

John Joyce and Thomas Gibbons were charged with having, on the 31st July, stolen a case containing seventy-two bottles of sauce, the property of Robert Leslie. Mr. R. M. Forster, who appeared for Joyce, stated that he wished to plead guilty of stealing one bottle of the same, and to throw himself on the mercy of the Court. His Honor thought it better that the trial should proceed, as the prisoner did not seem to be aware of the effect of the plea. Constable Robins said that being concealed on Smith's Wharf, he saw Gibbons, about 2 o'clock p.m., take the case from the wharf, and Joyce afterwards break it open in Gibbons's presence with a roller which Gibbons gave him; one bottle of sauce was broken in doing so, and Joyce took another bottle out of the case, and this was afterwards found on him when the prisoners were arrested; the prisoners were engaged in loading goods on the wharf at the time; the goods in question were landed from the Gilroy, of which prosecutor is master. Mr. Forster raised the point that the goods, having been landed from the ship, could not be charged in the information as the property of the captain. His Honor overruled the objection, as the bailment had not determined, no receipt for the goods having been given to the captain by the consignees. The prisoner Gibbons stated that he had nothing to do with any theft. He lent the roller to Joyce to help to move some heavy packages which they were engaged in loading, and the box of sauce was moved out of the way, and so got broken. A witness was called who said that he saw nothing of any breaking open the box or taking bottles from it. His Honor having summed up, the jury retired to consider their verdict, and ultimately found Gibbons not guilty and Joyce guilty of stealing one bottle from the case. Joyce was remanded for sentence.

Thomas Cowan was charged with having, on the 30th August, stolen a saddle and saddle-cloth, the property of George Charles Wilson. This was a simple case. Prosecutor, about 7 o'clock in the evening, dismounted from his horse and went into his office in George-street, leaving his horse in the street with the saddle and cloth on. Coming out soon after, he saw prisoner taking them away down the street, and gave him into the custody of constable Keating. The jury at once found him guilty, and he was remanded for sentence. This prisoner had been eleven times previously convicted of vagrancy.

Henry Hunter and William Ewen were charged with having, on the 30th July, stolen three hides, the property of the Commissioner of Railways. Hunter pleaded guilty, and said that he was drunk at the time he took the hides. The case against Ewen was proceeded with, but after some of the evidence had been given one of the jurymen was seized with a fit, and Dr. Marsden gave his opinion that the juryman was under the influence of drink, and would not be able to enter the jury-box during the day. His Honor therefore discharged the rest of the jurors from the case.

STEALING FROM A DWELLING.

James Moore, a lad of 19, was charged with having, on the 6th September, stolen from the dwelling-house of John Moore £40. Prosecutor is prisoner's father, and they were working together at Balmain. In the morning £50 in notes were locked up in a box in the house when they went to work, the house door was also locked, and the key, with the box key, given to a neighbour to keep while the father and son were away. Prisoner left work at 12 o'clock, and when his father came home at 1 he found that prisoner had obtained the keys from the neighbour, opened the box, and taken therefrom all the notes but £10 worth. Senior-constable Boyd arrested the prisoner on the racecourse the same afternoon, when he had only about £5 on him and two watch chains. The prosecutor gave his son a good character, and said he thought he must have been led astray. Prisoner asked no questions and did not address the jury. His statement in the Police Court that he did not take £40 at one time was read. The jury, after a short retirement, found the prisoner guilty of stealing only with a recommendation to mercy on the ground of his youth and previous good character. Remanded for sentence.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Lavinia Blanchford was charged with having, on the 8th September, attempted to commit suicide. John Dimon stated that he saw the defendant behaving in a strange manner on the rocks at Mrs. Macquarie's chair, and apparently saying her prayers, and making preparations to throw herself into the water; called the attention of the Domain ranger to her behaviour but he would take no notice of it; asked the ranger if he was not empowered to arrest persons in the Domain, and he said he was; witness said, that the woman should be taken care of as she was evidently not in her right senses. The ranger would not interfere, he only stood and looked at her when she subsequently threw herself into the water and made no attempt to rescue her. Had he interfered when asked to do so, the attempted suicide would not have occurred. The defendant went further away on the rocks and was then seen by two young men, named Graves and Power, to throw herself into the sea. They rescued her and gave her into the charge of constable Archer. She was in a very confused and excited state, and said that if she was let go she would throw herself in again. The defendant now asked no questions of the witnesses, but handed in a written statement to the Judge, in which she expressed her sorrow at having committed the rash act, stating that she was not conscious at the time, and had no recollection of what took place; she suffered at times, about once a month, from severe mental depression, and was so suffering at that time. The jury acquitted her on the ground of temporary insanity; and she was ordered to be detained until the Governor's pleasure was known.

EMBEZZLEMENT.

Mary Ann M'Cann, alias Louisa Stewart, pleaded guilty, under Mr. R. M. Forster's advice, to a charge of having embezzled 14s. 6d., the property of her master, Thomas Keary. Mr. Forster called evidence to the prisoner's previous good character, and she was remanded for sentence.

FELONIOUSLY WOUNDING.

Markus Flykt was charged with having, on the 11th September, feloniously wounded James M'Minnes. It appeared that there was an altercation between the sailmaker and carpenter (the prosecutor) on board the Loch Fergus, when prisoner, who was a seaman on board the ship, came up and wanted to fight prosecutor. The latter used some contemptuous remark to prisoner, and the chief officer interfered and sent prosecutor aft. As he was going prisoner took up a belaying pin and struck prosecutor a violent blow with it, attempting to repeat the assault. He was arrested by constable Little, of the Water Police. Prosecutor did not strike prisoner. The latter was drunk at the time. The prisoner's defence was that he was irritated by the epithets used by prosecutor, who, he thought, actually struck him. The jury found the prisoner guilty of unlawfully wounding. Remanded for sentence.

ILLEGALLY ON PREMISES.

Henry Stewart was charged with having, on the 7th August, been found by night in the dwelling-house of William Gannon, with intent to commit a felony. About half-past 2, on the morning of the 7th, Mr. Gannon saw a man getting over the high gate at the back of the Exchange Hotel; went down, and saw prisoner crouching behind a post in the yard; called upon him to surrender; prisoner then drew a knife, and charged with it at prosecutor and his servants, who had then assembled; he passed them, and was found and handed over to police constable Day, who was called in; it appeared that prisoner entered the men-servants' room at the hotel and would give no answer as to what he wanted, and ran into the yard; he was not known by any of the witnesses. Prisoner, in his defence, said that he had lost his way to the Grafton Wharf, where his ship was, and that he had no intention of stealing anything. He had been drinking and did not recollect anything about getting into prosecutor's premises. He also handed in several creditable discharges from various ships. The jury found the prisoner guilty, with a recommendation to mercy on account of previous good character. Remanded for sentence.

JURORS FINED.

The following persons were fined 40s. each for non-attendance as jurors:—James Quirk, gardener, Tempe; William Clarke, gentleman, Pyrmont Bridge Road; George Flood, householder, 347, Victoria-street.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

MONDAY.

BEFORE the Police Magistrate, with Messrs. Hunt, Harris, Alexander, Neale, and M'Lean.

Fifty-two persons were fined for drunkenness. One of these, William Walker, was further fined 20s. for assaulting the constable who took him into custody. After having been fined for drunkenness, Francis Kirkpatrick was fined 20s., Eliza Cassilla and Winifred Bragg 40s. each, for using indecent language.

Frank Smith, found guilty of having in York-street, on Sunday afternoon, offended against public decency, was sentenced to pay a penalty of 40s., or to be imprisoned one month; and John Creighton, for a like offence in King-street, was sentenced to pay 40s., or to be imprisoned one month.

Samuel Doherty, charged with using obscene language, was sentenced to forfeit 5s., or to be imprisoned two days; and James Rogers, for a like charge, was required to pay 20s., on pain of seven days' imprisonment.

John Carden, charged with having stolen a vest, valued at 10s. 6d., the property of William Howes, tailor, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to pay a penalty of 20s., or to be imprisoned fourteen days.

Morton Packet was committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions on a charge of feloniously wounding one Louis Lafeur. The prosecutor, it appeared from the evidence of Sarah Chapman, was, on Thursday night, under the influence of liquor, in conversation at the corner of King-street and George-street, when the prisoner intruded himself into the company and demanded a drink; prosecutor refused to treat him; prisoner then drew a knife from a sheath behind him, and struck him a blow on the forehead, at once inflicting a wound and causing him to fall senseless to the ground; he was taken to the Infirmary, where Dr. Frean dressed his wound. Prisoner was taken into custody, and was on Friday remanded until to-day for the evidence of Lafeur, who, however, it appeared, was so much the worse for liquor that he had no recollection of what took place.

Before Messrs. Murray and Bull.

On the summons paper were fourteen cases, of which two were dismissed, one was postponed, and eight were not prosecuted. Michael Taylor appeared to answer the complaint of James Serburt, who charged him with assault. Complainant deposed that on the afternoon of Sunday, the 16th September, he was walking across a paddock at or near Macdonald Town, accompanied by his dog, when three dogs, owned by defendant, attacked his dog; with a view to prevent them from fighting he threw a stone at them, in return for which defendant, running towards him, threw a bottle at him, which by stooping he avoided; but before he could rise the defendant came up to him and kicked him, saying that he would teach him to throw stones at his dogs. This was the assault complained of. By Mr Carroll: Defendant's house is situated in the paddock across which he (complainant) was walking; it is partly enclosed; witness had been in the habit for fourteen years past of walking across that paddock; several other persons were crossing at the time of this occurrence. To pay a penalty of 40s., with 42s. for professional costs. William Mart was fined 40s. on conviction of having used words calculated to excite Elizabeth Hayes to commit a breach of the peace. In Penson v. Wheeler, a proceeding under the Apprentices Act, the indentures, by consent of both parties, were cancelled.

WATER POLICE COURT.

MONDAY.

BEFORE the Water Police Magistrate, with Messrs. Lester, Marks, Goodridge, and Holborow.

Twelve inebriates were each fined 5s., and one was fined 10s., with the customary alternatives of imprisonment.

Thomas Fitzgerald, 'bus driver, was fined 10s., or four days, for being drunk and disorderly in Ocean-street, Woollahra. Thomas Porter, seaman, besides being fined for drunkenness, had to pay 10s., or be imprisoned for four days, for using obscene language in Cumberland-street. David Munn, seaman, for being drunk and disorderly in Kent-street was fined 20s., or seven days in gaol; Charley Chow, Chinese dealer, for using obscene language in George-street was fined 40s., or one month.

LATER EUROPEAN NEWS.

By the Orient Liner Chimborazo, which arrived in Port Jackson yesterday afternoon, we have received files of papers to the 13th August, being ten days later than those per Siam. Much of the news contained in them, though relating to events that have been made known by telegram some weeks since, will be found very interesting. The following extracts are from our files to hand:—

Since the battle of Plevna there has been little change in the military position in Bulgaria. The Russians have been bringing up reinforcements and concentrating troops on the line of the Jantra, while the Turkish commanders have either been unable to follow up their late advantage, or have thought it more prudent to remain on the defensive. Prince Schackoskoy and Baron Krudener, it appears, received orders to retire on the Osma as the result of the fighting before Plevna on the 30th ultimo, but when it was found that the Turks showed no disposition to pursue, counter orders were issued, and the Russian generals succeeded in taking up the positions which they occupied before the battle. Osman Pasha is said, however, to have sent out a detachment and occupied Selvi, and on Tuesday last the Russians are reported to have been repulsed in an attempt to capture Loftcha, or Lovatz, to the south of Plevna. Osman Pasha in his despatch says that the Russians lost 300 killed and double that number wounded; but the *Daily Telegraph* correspondent describes the affair as a "great battle," and states that the Russians "were driven back along the entire line, leaving immense numbers of killed and wounded on the field." The Russian plan was, it is added, evidently to throw their whole force upon Osman Pasha, with a view to defeat him, and then to attack Mehemet Ali, who is somewhere between Rasgrad and Rustchuk. It was announced the other day that "the siege of Rustchuk had been raised," but it does not appear that that fortress has ever actually been invested; the army which is watching it stands on the Lom, and will probably remain there as long as Osman Pasha holds his position at Plevna. On the east, the Dobrudscha is believed to be now virtually abandoned by the Russians, as Egyptian troops have lately penetrated from Varna as far as Kustendje, without seeing a trace of the invaders. It is supposed that they were obliged to return for provisions, as the Dobrudscha is a complete waste, and the Russian transport service is unequal to the commissariat requirements of the large armies encamped across the Danube. In the west, the Roumanians, crossing from Turnu Margurelli, are threatening the rear and flank of Osman Pasha, and will probably co-operate in the coming attack upon that general at Plevna, when the Russians hope to have at least 100,000 men in line. A despatch from St. Petersburg of Saturday's date says:—"An Imperial ukase has been received here from the head-quarters of the Russian army operating in Bulgaria, ordering the immediate mobilization of the entire corps of the Imperial Guard and also of several divisions. The greater part of the Imperial Guard and some divisions are to join the army in Bulgaria without delay, and the remainder of the newly mobilized troops are to be dispatched to reinforce the army of the Caucasus." In a later telegram we read:—"An Imperial ukase has been issued calling out 188,600 men of the Landwehr of the first class. This ukase was signed by his Majesty in Biela, and bears date July 22. Its promulgation has been received with general enthusiasm."

ALLEGED DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CZAR AND HIS BROTHER.

Reports are current of a disagreement as to the conduct of the war between the Czar and his brother and the military authorities generally. The Grand Duke and the generals are said to be of opinion that if the Emperor had remained at Moscow the recent disasters would not have occurred.

DESPONDENCY AT ST. PETERSBURG.

The *Morning Post* publishes the following from its correspondent at Berlin:—"A telegram from St. Petersburg announces that great despondency prevails there, and that the Government, with a view of inciting the enthusiasm of the people, has arranged for a grand procession of the trophies captured at Nicopolis. The Guards have returned from the camp at Krasnoe Zelo and will be forthwith dispatched to the Danube. General distress prevails at St. Petersburg, and more than 3000 apartments are vacant. The subscription to the Home Loan of 200,000,000 roubles is closed, and the Government does not dare to publish the result, as it would show such utter failure. The issue of paper roubles progresses at a ruinous rate. Since the commencement of the war they have been emitted to the amount of 126,000,000." The Berlin correspondent of the *Morning Post* says:—"The financial position of the Russian Empire continues to alarm financiers in this country. No limit is legally fixed to the issue of paper currency, and it is stated that the new issue already amounts to about 900,000,000 of roubles."

HUNGARY AND TURKEY.

It was stated in a telegram from Pesth the other day that no fewer than 200 public meetings, expressive of sympathy with Turkey, were to be held at various places in Hungary, on Sunday, 5th August. No accounts have yet come to hand of these meetings, but from another part of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy we hear of a movement on the other side. A great meeting of sympathizers with the Slavs was held at Agram, on the 5th August, at which resolutions were passed in favour of Russia, and expressing the conviction that Austria-Hungary would not defend Turkey.

THE JEWS OF CORFU AND THE WAR.

The Grand Rabbi in the island of Corfu has made a warlike speech, in which he called upon the members of the Jewish community to enrol themselves as volunteers in the Greek army for the defence of the common fatherland. The Christians and Jews in Corfu are fraternizing.

RUSSIAN LOSSES.

The Russian losses up to the 27th of July, according to an official statement which has been published, amount to 9395. The losses in the battle of Plevna are not included in this statement. These are put down in a Russian official despatch at 5000; but some of the newspaper correspondents compute that in all the attacks upon Plevna the Russians lost 10,000 men.

IN THE SHIPKA PASS.

The correspondent of the *Times* with the Russians, writes from Kezanlik, on the 19th July:—

To-night we have supped full of horrors, and I pray those who still favour the Turks to read attentively what I now write. The day before yesterday, the tirailleurs drove the Turkish infantry from hill to hill on the right of the Russian line, and passed onwards over the hills, while the cavalry and Bulgarians occupied Kezanlik, which lies in the plain. As the tirailleurs moved towards the mouth of the Shipka Pass, they found themselves checked by strong Turkish forces with artillery, and discontinued the pursuit. Next morning (yesterday) they made an attempt to carry the top of the pass and the batteries placed there. Working from right and left in a thin line, they climbed the steep mountain side, and again drove the Turks from point to point till on the right they approached a small redoubt placed on a hill which flanks the pass. If the reader will look at any good map of the Balkans (mine is that published lately by the Austrian Geographical Institute), he will see that the line representing the crest of the range comes here very close to the plain, and he will judge rightly that the hills are very steep.

When the tirailleurs came near the redoubt, pressing forward step by step, a large white flag was displayed, and signs were made by the Turks that they wished to surrender the redoubt without further fighting. At first the Russians doubted and hesitated to trust their enemy. But the white flag, which was advanced and waved, was so large a flag that there could be no question as to its meaning. On that day, as on the day before, the gallant Major Liegnitz, of the Prussian Staff, was with the skirmishers, not to fight, but to watch, and from his lips, confirming the story of the Russians, I have the following details. So confident were all in the evident purpose of the flag thus displayed, that he actually walked up to and entered into conversation with one of the Turks in the first line of skirmishers, and wished to go forward with those who passed on to receive the surrender of the fort, but was forbidden. As the men emerged from their cover as skirmishers and stood exposed and expectant, there came from the fort, first two or three shots, which might have been accidental, then one or two more, and finally at a given signal, from both ends of the fort, a heavy volley, followed by a second. The tirailleurs recoiled for a few moments, but then recovered themselves and took the fort within a quarter of an hour. But their numbers were unequal to the task of carrying the main defences, which, situated on the smooth saddle of the pass, consisted of batteries of Krupp field pieces and mountain guns admirably disposed behind earthworks which had been constructed with extreme neatness. After a rough zigzag road from Shipka to the crest there comes a piece of good road, running along the top of a hill, which is the summit of the pass. The top is very narrow, only a few yards wide, and from it slopes away a level green descent, affording no cover for an attacking force. The brave tirailleurs attempted again and again to conquer the slope with its bristling rifles and guns behind entrenchments at the top; but without artillery the task was impossible, and they had to give way, leaving within reach of the Turks some of those who had been wounded in the front line. The men were fatigued, and the attack was abandoned for the day.

This morning orders had been given for a renewal of the attempt by attacking the piece of road from both sides, and with the aid of artillery; but a flag of truce came in from the Turks, and the officer who bore it was commissioned by the Pasha commanding to say that he could resist no longer, being in want of bread and ammunition, and would march his men to the Russian camp, there to lay down their arms, if the Russians would promise not to attack. Strangely enough, the traitors of the day before were trusted again, and time was given them to execute their promise. But not a man showed himself; and when General Gourko sent messengers up to ascertain the reason, it was found that these "gentlemen" had pledged their military honour and broken their pledge. This and the abominable trick of the day before, worthy only of untutored savages, are enough to stamp with infamy the character of a nation whose regular army it was that did these things; but how are the horrible deeds they had further committed to be described? Can what we saw yesterday have been an ugly dream? No; it is only too terrible a reality. Let me only tell what the Staff saw as they rode up yesterday afternoon. Passing up the narrow winding road, with heaps of rough stones and boulders at every step, we came upon dead bodies of such as had fallen, out of the power of the Turk. There they lay, with that expression fixed on their faces which came from their hearts at the moment when they fell. An officer told me of one case he had seen of a wounded Mussulman with smashed thigh lying on the ground. When the Russians came to give him help he writhed his body into a half-sitting position, then, with gnashing teeth and grin like a savage animal, fired at and wounded an officer. In a moment Cossacks sprang forward and transfixed him with their lances, but the same savage expression of perfect rage and hatred remained on his face after death. His lips were drawn back over his teeth, his face wrinkled, his eyes, though dulled, yet wearing an expression of ferocity. But the dead killed in battle have often placid faces, for the warrior's mind has turned to softer thoughts before nature fixed the last expression. Presently we are met by men carrying downwards on a stretcher the headless body of an officer, and it begins to be told that this is not a solitary example. On the top of the pass the whole truth is told. The Turk, that "gentleman" of English drawing-rooms, regularly enrolled in the army of the Sultan, well-dressed and well fed on the savings of the Bulgarians and on English money—this creature, led by regular officers, has mutilated every Russian soldier that fell into his hands, dead or alive. A young officer of tirailleurs cries out, "Is that the English correspondent?" Then turning to me he says, "Have you seen the heap of heads!" When I answer "No," he adds bitterly, "Ah! you had better see what your friends have done." Instantly a Staff officer reproves him, and apologises to me, but adds, "You cannot tell how bitterly we feel it; and all the officers think that this war would never have been, that Bulgaria would have been free, but for English support to these people." We go on and examine batteries and guns, but with absent minds, dwelling on the "heap of heads." And what of the bodies? Everybody has the same question, "Have you seen the decapitated and mutilated bodies of the wounded!" To the demand for proof that it was the wounded, the living men, who were so treated the answer is always, "You shall judge for yourself." On the way along the position, looking down to the right from the road, there, heaped round a telegraph post on the green sward, are the heads that had thought and planned and hoped and feared but yesterday, perhaps this morning, but they looked small and shrunken, probably from loss of all blood, and the countenances tell no tale, as far as I could see in a hurried, horrified examination.

We go on to the end of the position, and find it one which could hardly have been carried from any direction, which would certainly have stopped the 9th Corps, with which we now join hands, but for the turning movement of General Gourko's column cutting the Turks from their sources of supply. I am not ashamed to say that I cannot give an accurate military description, my head was too full of other things. It is sufficient to say that the smooth saddle of the pass was covered at every available point with cover for infantry and guns. I think there were four Krupp pieces, and about as many mountain guns. Returning towards the other, or eastern flank of the position, we pass a group of Turkish wounded, some 50 or so, whose wounds are being dressed and cared for as if that group of heads had never been seen. The men look afraid, as well they may, for they cannot believe that the Russians are less barbarous than themselves. They are most distinctly men of the Regular Army, well fed, well clad, driven by no pangs of hunger to commit crime, cleaner and finer men than the little tirailleurs. But like most of their race whom one meets here, a retreating forehead and small cranium, with wandering eyes, give the impression of ferocity and cunning. A few paces further on is a circle of Russians—officers and men—gazing, fascinated, at a spectacle within. There, at last, are the bodies collected together for examination; all headless, some cut limb from limb, some treated in a manner which is universally regarded as the deepest insult that can be paid to the body of a man alive or dead. But were these men alive or dead when they were thus treated? With regard to some there may be a doubt, but with regard to others no doubt. Here was to be seen a body with wounded finger dressed and the rest cut off ruthlessly, perhaps in struggling with the knife. There lay what was a man, in an attitude showing plainly that he had striven to save his throat; near him was another with the red cross on his arm, having, perhaps, dressed the wounded finger of the first-named; one in the terrible exhibition lay with bared belly, slashed across with knives, and showing that blood had run from the wounds; another had been cut limb from limb. A young and well-shaped form, with clearer skin than the rest, had been beheaded and otherwise shamefully mutilated—but there was not a single wound of any description on his body produced by regular warfare. These are only instances. The proof was all too plain. There lay men who had been wounded or unwounded prisoners in the hands of the Turkish "gentlemen," who had foully murdered and mutilated them, showing thus that they are savages as cruel as any in Africa or India. And but a few paces distant the Russian medical men were dressing the wounds of these savages, and soldiers standing round guarded them from all evil, even the righteous indignation which filled their own breasts. This was not a scene in a theatre. No one knew that a correspondent would be there, but the effect was such as no sensational tableau could produce. On the one side civilization, rough if you will, but still civilization based on the precepts of Christianity; on the other side barbarism and the worse than bestial ferocity of cruel men. What purpose could be served by such diabolical mischief? They would not hold out a day longer for it, or obtain better terms. It was the ferocity with the slyness of the monkey or the idiot. This horrible war should be stayed, and the Turk forbidden for ever to hold dominion over Christians. But it is quite certain that for the present the Bulgarians are unfit to be placed in a position to govern the Turks, for the deeds that have been done upon them for centuries have left their marks of brutality, and it would be found that the rule of cruel masters would only be followed by that of cruel slaves. The moment that the Turkish oppressors leave a house or their part of a village a flock of Bulgarians settle on the spot to pillage. They say that they are only taking their own; when the indignant Russian officers drive them away, but they have clearly no idea of law or justice. How could they, who have never known either? If the Turks are down, the Bulgarians will trample on them; and their surprise that the Russians do not kill prisoners is that of men accustomed to the daily dread of reptiles who should see a stranger save the life of a cobra di capello and let him go. For them the only hope of liberty is extermination of the masters, their only idea of justice to take the master's goods in return for what he has taken from them. Wherever we go the Bulgarian legion pillages and incites the childish Cossacks to do the same. This morning the officers here in Kezanlik searched the Turkish houses and captured twenty pillagers, of whom nineteen were Bulgarians, and one a Cossack, and later, finding that the same Bulgarian soldiers had found out a Turkish military store and were robbing it, the same officers went out and drove them away with whips. These things I saw, and I hear every hour expressions of detestation of pillage, and determination to put it down by shooting the men, if necessary. But this little force was put together in haste, and has no proper system of military police. How it is with the army behind I know not; but the lack of proper organization of all sorts is very apparent in this force, and may lead to trouble hereafter, in spite of its gallant deeds. The main body will probably organise as it advances, but meanwhile deeds may be done that can never be undone, crimes committed that can never be repaired. And without doubt the Russian good name will suffer from no fault of their own, except, indeed, neglect. But whatever may happen, there is this difference between the Russians on the one side and the Turks on the other, the Bulgarians lying between. The Russian officers aim high, wish to act as civilised people, and restrain their men from excesses. The Turkish officers either have no influence or use it for evil. The tendency on the one hand is to rise and to raise, on the other to stand still and to hinder others.

RUSSIAN AND TURKISH ATROCITIES.

The correspondents of the *Times* supply the following:—

Shumla, July 25.

From Rasgrad, on the 18th instant, I took occasion to send you a detailed account of the victims of Russian cruelty collected there, and here, too, there are some, whose number has already swelled to forty. Among them are old women and children, upon whom the Cossacks have perpetrated atrocities similar to those of Alanova, with this addition, that the hostile horsemen have turned their deadly weapons against sucking babes. One of these bears no fewer than six wounds. Deep moral indignation was naturally felt by all the representatives of the European and American Press assembled here, and it was proposed to draw up a document for the purpose of establishing what we had all seen with our own eyes, to the end that afterwards the truth might not be distorted or denied. This document, to which I, also, as your representative, felt myself bound to become a party, was drawn up and signed by all correspondents living here. On the Grand Vizier becoming aware of this, he telegraphed to the Commander-in-Chief to express to the representatives of the Press his thanks for this manifestation of their upright behaviour, a commission Mehemet Ali executed in the course of a reception accorded by him yesterday to the journalists, adding, at the same time, his own gratitude for this our collective testimony.

Shumla, August 5.

Suleiman Pasha to-day informed the Commander-in-Chief of the Army that the Provisional Russian Government at Eski Saghra had summoned the remaining Turkish families one by one to the Government building, and caused them to be massacred. The women, too, were outraged.

The news that five Russian guns were taken near Eski Saghra is confirmed.

Therapia, August 5.

Your correspondent with the Turkish Army in Armenia telegraphs under date July 29:—

"Mukhtar Pasha is showing great determination in repressing Kurdish atrocities. The men who exhumed and mutilated the Russian dead at Zedikan have been caught and sentenced to death, and similar orders have been given regarding the Bayazid massacre.

"This is doubtless owing to the energetic remonstrances of Sir Arnold Kemball, who never fails to impress Mukhtar with the necessity of restraining the Irregulars."

Paris, August 5.

The Ottoman Embassy has received an official telegram, dated Constantinople, last night, which says:—

"A telegram from Sulieman Pasha describes as follows the conduct of the Russian army during the eleven days it occupied Eski Saghra:—

"'The first act of the Russians on entering the town was to disarm the Mussulman population. They employed the Mokdars of the place, who, deceived as to the real object of their mission, were ordered to fetch the Mussulmans out of their houses, and as soon as the latter appeared they were massacred. 1100 Mussulmans were thus put to death.'

"A telegram from the Kaimakam of Lovatz reports that when the Russians entered that town fifteen women and children, fleeing from the invaders, were killed by the fire of the enemy's artillery. Others of these unfortunate prisoners, in order to escape outrage or death, had to abandon everything they had, even their children. Every Mussulman house in Lovatz was pillaged by the Cossacks and Bulgarians. After the recapture of the town by the Imperial army the Russians carried devastation and carnage into the neighbouring districts."

Paris, August 7.

The Ottoman Embassy has received the following official telegram, dated Constantinople, last night:—

"The Russians and Bulgarians drove out all the Mussulman inhabitants of the village of Herste and burnt all the men and some of the women. Their bodies were removed by the Bulgarians. Only one woman succeeded in escaping. Seventy Mussulman, and the Imam of Yuklem were shut up by the Bulgarians in a barn, to which they set fire, in conjunction with the Cossacks. Forty-four other Mussulmans of the same village were massacred, and all the Mussulman women outraged. Eight young girls who resisted were killed, and two others burnt with the men. The greater part of the other women, with their children, were taken outside the village, where one after another, with their children at their sides, they were slaughtered. Twenty women and children who escaped the massacre were rescued by the Imperial Ottoman troops. The English Military Attaché himself witnessed all these horrors. The Russians, on entering these parts, disarmed all the Mussulmans of Eski Saghra, Kezanlik, and the neighbouring villages, and distributed the arms seized among the Bulgarians. The latter then drove down 400 Mussulmans from Murghlia, in the district of Kezanlik, to the bank of the river Tundja, and there massacred them. At Eski Saghra and in its neighbourhood the Bulgarians continue to massacre the Mussulman population."

A PANIC AMONG GAS COMPANIES.—An English journal says that a panic has occurred in gas shares and gas debentures, which at one time threatened to assume serious proportions. The shares in one company fell sixteen per cent., and in almost all the average fall amounted to a twelfth of their value. It is stated that the cause of the panic was the improvement which a Russian engineer officer has introduced into the management of the electric light, by which he is enabled from one battery to light many candles at the same time. It is asserted that he can produce a light equal to four hundred gas-burners for a shilling an hour, but admitted that his "candle" requires readjustment every hour. It is quite possible that the electricians are at last on the track of discoveries which will make the electric light available for popular purposes, but the public which has invested in gas shares would do well to remember one or two facts. There are great inventions, quite real, which never come into practical use, such as the balloon, and there is nothing to stop the gas companies from buying successful patents. If we are not misinformed, their statutes enable them to deal in any public means of lighting.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—October 1.

Rotorua (s.), 1000 tons, Captain Kennedy, from Auckland 28th ultimo. Passengers—From Dunedin: Mrs. M'Kenzie, Messrs. Enfield and Thompson. From Lyttelton: Mrs. Denison. From Wellington: Miss Bachford, Mr. and Mrs. Dransfield, Mr. Lindur, Master Turner, and Captain Mist. From Auckland: Mrs. Cosgrove, Miss Kirby, Count Maroschi, Mr. and Mrs. M'Lachlan and 3 children, Messrs. Bothwell, Athelby, Rombach, Leys, and 29 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Platypus (s.), 200 tons, Captain Mege, from the Richmond 29th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Alder, Mrs. M'Vicar, Messrs. Moore, Henry, and 2 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Co., agents.

Sea Nymph, brig, 249 tons, Captain Brady, from Noumea 19th ultimo. Passengers—Captain Kear, Messrs. H. T. Garde, E. Michel, and 7 in the steerage. Montefiore and Montefiore, agents.

Jessie Matilda, schooner, 88 tons, Captain Power, from Port Mackay 19th instant. Captain, agent.

Mary Peverly, schooner, 80 tons, Captain Amara, from Howe's Island 25th ultimo. Captain, agent.

You Yangs (s.), 672 tons, Captain Ashford, from Melbourne 28th ultimo. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wicks and servant, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel White and infant, Mrs. Stotwick, Miss Bowen, Messrs. J. C. Morris, M. M'Donald, Moses Wills, G. H. Smith, H. Benham, S. P. Goldstein, A. B. Macgregor, Arthur Hawley, Alfred Israel, Master Albert White, and 14 in the steerage. W. H. Smith, agent.

Florence Irving (s.), 600 tons, Captain Phillips, from Cooktown 22nd ultimo. Passengers—from Cooktown: Mrs. R. M. Phillips, Mr. L. Palmer. From Townsville: Messrs. H. Rourke, G. Minton, F. H. Stobrey, T. Hinel. From Mackay: Mr. Delotte. From Rockhampton: Miss Beswicke, Mr. M. H. Baird. From Brisbane: Mrs. Gataker, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Warner, Miss Gedge, Miss P. Gedge, Miss Bubb, Miss Neal, Hon. A. H. Palmer, Captain West, Messrs. J. Jones, G. C. Edgley, J. H. Cherry, J. Leishman, J. D. Palmer, H. P. Hayward, Powell, Knight, J. Matthews, Newberry, R. S. Coates, Percy Bradford, N. Foldi, A. Solomon, J. S. Smith, D. J. Robinson, and 40 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Chimborazo (s.), 3800 tons, Captain J. V. Hall, from Plymouth via Melbourne 29th ultimo. Passengers—Miss Friend, Lieutenant-Colonel Hamilton, Mrs. Lintott, Mr. and Mrs. Lillington, Mr. and Mrs. Silver, Mr. and Miss Goldie, Mr. and Mrs. Dobson, Mr. and Mrs. Ingram and child, Dr. Maxton, Miss A. Hately, Miss Farrar, Miss Bates, Messrs. L. Hamilton, R. Burritt, W. H. Humphery, R. Buckston, D. R. Benjamin, Meyer, C. Herring, C. G. C. Dut, A. Grant, W. Ackroyd, J. M. Simpson, E. Wall, C. Labulle, W. Symington, O. Abiot, A. Osborne, T. Jupp, J. Vile, C. S. A. Iger, A. H. Cleland, R. Wilman, and 84 in the steerage. Gilchrist, Watt, and Co., agents.

James Paterson (s.), 526 tons, Captain Wynn, from Rockhampton 27th ultimo. Passengers—Miss M'Kay, Miss Greene, Master Greene, Mr. W. F. Walton, Mr. C. A. Vilson, and 17 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Beagle (s.), 228 tons, Captain Hersee, from the Manning 30th ultimo. Passengers—Messrs. Thurlow and F. White. J. Ritchie, agent.

New England (s.), 238 tons, Captain Mann, from Grafton 29th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Neubey, Miss Harris, Mr. Martin and child, and six in the steerage. C. and N. E. Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—October 1.

Avoca (s.), for Melbourne.
Dayspring, for S. S. Islands.
Egmont (s.), for Brisbane.
Tanfahan, for Port Mackay.
Nile, for Rockhampton.
Louisa, for Melbourne.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—October 2.

City of Adelaide (s.), Macedon (s.), for Melbourne; Elamang (s.), for Brisbane.

CLEARANCE.—October 1.

Day Spring, schooner, 150 tons, Captain Braithwaite, for New Hebrides. Passengers—Rev. J. G. Paton, Mrs. Paton, 2 children and servant, Mrs. Braithwaite, and 6 natives.

Egmont (s.), 650 tons, Captain H. Webb, for Brisbane, Keppel Bay, Flat-top Island, Bowen, Townsville, Cardwell, Trinity Bay, and Cooktown. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. James Palmer and servant, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson and servant, Colonel Macdonald, Messrs. S. J. Lamb, M. Walker, J. M. Davies, Churchill, and 25 in the steerage.

COASTERS INWARDS.—October 1.

Saxonia (s.), Lalla Rookh, Margaret Chessell, Industry, Catherine Agnes, Merchantman, Woniora (s.), from Newcastle, with 1060 tons coal, 120 tons scrap iron; Gimbola, from Shoalhaven, with 470 bags maize; Lizzie Davis, from Tweed River, with 50,000 feet cedar; Evelyn, from Cape Hawke, with 41 girders; Rob Roy, from Ballina, with 50 000 feet pine logs; Vale, from Macleay River, with 760 bags maize, 1 log cedar, 2 hides, 4 coops poultry; Jessie Spears, from Camden Haven, with 21,000 feet timber; Advance, from Bermagui, with 3000 feet timber, 400 bags bark, 6 kegs butter, 12 hides, 3 bags bacon.

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IMPORTS.—October 1.

[A special charge is made for consignees' announcements in this column.]

Jessie Matilda, from Port Mackay: 11 casks tallow, 9 hides, 3 bales skins, 3 bags bones, 4310 mats sugar.

Sea Nymph, from Noumea: 740 bags beche-de-mer, 25 hides, 6 bales wool, 152 bundles shooks, 1 bag coin (£2.0).

Florence Irving (s.), from Cooktown: 482 hides, 2156 mats sugar, 2 parcels gold; 375 bags tin ore, 127 bales wool, 14 bales skins, 55 cases fruit, 49 kegs butter, 51 bags oysters, and sundries.

You Yangs (s.), from Melbourne: 5 bales corks, 10 half-hogsheads acetic acid, 12 pockets hops, 65 packages tea, 11 cases coffee, 20 cases apple-parers, 13 packages tobacco, 2 packages woollens, 11 packages boots, 8 packages hardware, 7 packages rivets, 4 boxes lampware, 2 cases opium, 13 packages confectionery, 20 casks refined tallow, 5 cases paraffin wax, 5 bells lead, 10 coils pipe, 217 lengths iron pipe, 70 lengths trum rails, 115 packages and pieces ironwork, 44 packages bluestone, 2 bags flock, a quantity of pig iron, 2 cases cheese, 8 chests shellac, cases printing materials, 30 boiler tubes, 36 plates iron, 6 cases sewing-machines, 8 packages barrow wheels, 450 bags rice, 2 packages brassware, 4 casks grease, 2 barrels coffee, 10 packages merchandise.

Rotorua (s.), from Auckland: 1388 bags bran, 6 bales rags, 15 kegs butter, 36 bales fungus, 149 cases cheese, 13 cases whale oil, 93 bales flax, 3 cases bacon, 17 casks beef, 16 packages hams and sundries.

James Paterson (s.), from Rockhampton: 109 bales wool, 681 cakes 1968 ingots copper, 99 hides, 10 bales sheepskins, 100 bars iron, 2 tierces tallow, 29 packages sundries.

Chimborazo (s.), from London: [illegible] cases wine, 183 plates, [illegible] bars, 315 bundles iron, 1 case plate, 49 packages boots and shoes, 2 cases jewellery, 471 packages drapery, 4 packages stationery, 3 packages hardware, 81 packages fancy goods, a quantity of pig iron, and 2779 packages sundries.

Ex Chimborazo: 5 cases Letts' Diaries, 1878; parchment, 18 x 24; writing vellum, 18 x 24; Pirie's best rip writing note paper, white and coloured—T. R. Yeo.

Ex Chimborazo: 4 cases underclothing; 10 cases costumes; 11 cases fancy dress material; 2 cases ribbons; 2 cases feathers; 1 case ribbon velvets; 3 cases gamboons; 1 case ladies' ties; 2 cases belts; 1 case fancy silks—Keep and Parsons.

Ex Chimborazo: 61 packages—Wilson, Tait, and Co.

Ex Nineveh: 15 packages—Wilson, Tait, and Co.

Ex Patriarch: 4 packages—Wilson, Tait, and Co.

Ex River Clyde: 13 packages—Wilson, Tait, and Co.

Ex Amana: 82 packages—Wilson, Tait, and Co.

Ex Chimborazo: 65 packages drapery—W. Gardiner and Co.

Ex Carlisle: H&A in diamond over G, 1 case nails; 20 boxes tinplates; 3 cases cutlery, tools, and electroplate; 7 casks soda crystals and lampblack; 12 drums Stockholm tar; 1 bale twine; 7 casks sheep-bells and hardware—Hills, Hales, and Allen.

Ex City of Adelaide: 21 cases Swallow and Ariell's celebrated biscuits—W. H. Ariell.

Ex Carlisle: 20 trunks fancy boots and shoes—men's, women's, and children's—James Vickery.

EXPORTS.—September 29.

Boomerang (s.), for Rockhampton: 235 packages wines and spirits, 15 cases beer, 2 package tobacco, 20 kegs dried apples, 10 casks, 10 cases vinegar, 45 cases jam, 3 casks currants, 6 cases bottled fruits, 40 boxes nails, 4 cases mustard, 80 bags rice, 1 case galvanized iron, 24 oars, 2 rolls sheet lead, 17 axle-blocks, 1 case guns, 1 quarter-cask limejuice, 12 kegs butter, 10 bags potatoes, 18 bags onions, 386 bags maize, 75 bales hay, 1 bag nuts, 1 keg saltpetre, 3 horses, 2 buggies, 1 package harness, 250 cases fruit, and sundries.

Normanby (s.), for Hongkong, via Cooktown: 2 boxes sovereigns (£2677), 2 parcels gold (70 oz. 19 dwts.), 144 pieces lead, 56 packages yellow metal, 7 packages nails, 390 ingots tin, 13 packages copper, 15 bags shark fins, 25 bags beche-de-mer, 21 casks glass, 3 casks iron, 23 bales fungus, and sundries.

City of Melbourne (s.), for Melbourne: 27 packages wine and spirits, 10 packages tobacco, 7 cases cigars, 234 mats sugar, 24 hogsheads molasses, 2 cases jewellery (£1000), 204 bales wool, 190 bags oysters, 16 casks tallow, 1 case machinery, 32 bags nuts, 14 lengths pipes, 3 cases watches (£270), 284 hides, 1 basket prawns, 3 bags harness, 10 cases pines, 1381 cases fruit, 6 horses, 1 drag, 2 bags harness, and sundries.

October 1.

Avoca (s.), for Melbourne: 27 boxes sovereigns (£131,000), 1 box bar gold, (377 oz.) 17 boxes silver coin (£4637 18s. 4d.), 7 cases watches, 1 package jewellery, 1 bale drapery, 1 case plants, 1 case furs, 2 cases cards and maps, 2 cases potatoes, and sundries.

Dayspring, schooner, for New Hebrides: 4 packages wines and spirits, 4 packages tobacco, 1 case coffee, 15 bags sugar, 3 cases kerosene oil, 6 boxes tea, 8 bags rice, 7 casks biscuits, 13 casks flour, 18 bags potatoes, 5 cases drugs, 45 boards, 18 pieces scantling, 124 battens, 1 cooking-range, 2 sides bacon, 1 washing machine, 3 packages hardware, 1 drum tar, 2 cases acid, 100 bricks, 55 packages mission goods and sundries.

SHIPS' MAILS.

Mails will close at the General Post Office as follows:—

For Melbourne.—By the Macedon (s.), this day, at 5 p.m.

For Brisbane and Maryborough.—By the Elamang (s.), this day, at 3.30 p.m.

For Melbourne.—By the City of Adelaide (s.), this day, at 3.30 p.m.

For Grafton.—By the City of Grafton (s.), this day, at 8 p.m.; and by the New England (s.), on Wednesday, at 8 p.m.

For Merimbula and Eden.—By the Monaro (s.), on Wednesday, at 8.30 a.m.

For Auckland, Napier, and New Plymouth.—By the Rotorua (s.), on Wednesday, at 3 p.m.

For Rockhampton.—By the James Paterson (s.), on Wednesday, at 3.30 p.m.

For Townsville, Cairns, and Cooktown.—By the Victoria (s.), on Wednesday, at 3.30 p.m.

NOTICE.—DISPATCH OF MAILS VIA TORRES STRAITS. Mails will be made up at this office, on Saturday, the 6th October, per E. and A. M. S. Bowen, closing at 10 a.m., for Java, Singapore, Eastern Archipelago, India, China, the Continent of Europe, and the United Kingdom.

Correspondence intended to be forwarded by this opportunity must be so endorsed with the exception of that for India, China, and intermediate places, which will be forwarded by the Bowen, unless marked otherwise.

Late letters for the United Kingdom, via Brindisi only, will be received at the General Post Office up to 11 a.m. Late fee, 6d.

General Post Office, Sydney, 28th September, 1877.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards, October 1: Queen Emma, barque, 314 tons, Captain Le Neven, for Geelong, via Newcastle; City of Adelaide (s.), 824 tons, Captain Walker, for Melbourne; Elamang (s.), 490 tons, Captain Knight, for Brisbane; Rotorua (s.), 576 tons, Captain Kennedy, for Auckland and New Zealand ports; Margaret Heald, barque, 605 tons, Captain M'Murtry, for Singapore; You Yangs (s.), 487 tons, Captain Ashford, for Melbourne, via Newcastle; Raglan Castle, ship, 1050 tons, Captain Davies, for Madras, via Newcastle.

The schooner Mary Peverley returned yesterday from Howe's Island, having saved all that was available from the wreck of the barque Stetson. She sailed from Sydney on 9th July, and made the island on the 12th, but did not get fairly moored until 15th July. Very heavy gales were experienced while at the island. On the down passage on 11th July sighted a barque standing to the S.E. in latitude 31.41 S., longitude 158.26 E. She had lost her foretopmast and jibboom. The Mary Peverly sailed from Howe's Island on 24th ultimo, and has had moderate weather. On 26th had a very heavy thunderstorm, and within the space of an hour passed so close to nine waterspouts that canvas had to be reduced to clear them.

The P. and O. Co.'s branch steamer Avoca, bound to Melbourne, thence to connect with the Company's steamer Siam, took her departure punctually at noon yesterday.

The Rotorua (s.) left Port Chalmers on the 21st at 3 p.m.; arrived at Lyttelton next day at 9.30 a.m., sailed at 6 p.m.; reached Wellington on 23rd at 9.30 a.m.; proceeded at 5.15 p.m.; anchored in Hawke Bay at 8.45 a.m. of 24th; started from thence at 10.45 a.m.; arrived at Auckland at 10 p.m. on 25th; sailed at 1 p.m. of 26th from the Railway wharf; passed the Three Kings at 9.30 a.m. of 27th. Experienced variable winds till in the longitude of Lord Howe's Island, when she encountered strong north-west winds till 9 p.m. on Sunday, when it suddenly shifted round to the southward with hard squalls, heavy rain, and very vivid lightning, which continued all night; remainder of passage strong head winds and high sea; arrived in Port Jackson at 10 a.m. on the 1st instant, after a fast passage of 4 days 20 hours.

The Platypus (s.) crossed the Richmond bar at 1.20 p.m. on Saturday, 29th ultimo, and arrived in Sydney at 4.45 a.m. on the 1st instant. Experienced variable breezes to Port Stephens, and south-west the remainder of the passage. Cargo: 1033 bags maize, 487 mats sugar, — cedar, 49 hides, 2 casks tallow, 1 bundle sheepskins, 4 coops poultry, 13 cases eggs, 3 kegs butter, and sundries.

The brig Sea Nymph left Noumea on the 19th ultimo, having fresh S.E. winds until the 21st, afterwards light variable unsettled weather, with heavy thunderstorms; made the Brothers on Saturday last, and had light variable weather to arrival on the 1st instant. During the passage from Noumea the second mate, William Dean, who had been suffering for some time past with disease of the kidneys, died, and was buried at sea.

The You Yangs (s.) cleared Port Phillip Heads at 5 p.m. 28th, rounded Wilson's Promontory at 4.45 a.m. 29th, Gabo Island at 2.15 a.m. 30th, Cape St. George at 9 p.m., entered Sydney Heads at 6.30 a.m. 1st October. Experienced light airs and calms throughout the passage.

The Florence Irving (s.) arrived yesterday afternoon from Cooktown via northern Ports. She experienced light variable winds and fine weather, with smooth sea, throughout the passage.

The New England (s.) left Grafton at 1 p.m., 29th September, crossed the bar at 11.45 a.m., 30th, arrived in Sydney at 6.45 p.m. October 1st. Experienced light northerly winds to Smoky Cape, from thence to Seal Rocks strong southerly winds and cross sea, thence to Sydney light variable winds and fine weather. She brings as cargo 1642 mats sugar, 860 bags maize, 18 bales sheepskins, 31 packages skins, 1350 hides, 50 empty casks, 800 bunches bananas, 12 crates eggs, 2 coops fowls, 5 pigs, 2 hogsheads tallow.

List of Additional Passengers per P. and O. S. N. Company's steamship Avoca.—For Venice: Captain O. Nathey. For Adelaide: Mr. Makin. For Melbourne: Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Vanneck, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Elliston, Messrs. C. L. Hill, Landale, Green, H. Brown, Cowie.

Messrs. Metcalfe and Co. have received a cablegram advising the arrival of the Kent (s.) at St. Vincent early on the 21st ultimo, 47 days out from Melbourne.

The s.s. Chimborazo arrived yesterday, having left Port Phillip Heads at 7 p.m. on the 29th ultimo. This vessel is in every respect the counterpart of the Lusitania, but has been most unfortunate in the weather encountered, her run from Plymouth having been a succession of head winds. Canvas was a thing unknown; as a rule, of course, this continuous steaming has been a sad drag on the machinery, but the excellent manner in which it has been constructed has proved equal to so great a strain, but have worked smoothly throughout, although only stopped for seven hours. The Chimborazo was built in 1870, by the celebrated firm of Messrs. J. Elder and Co., of Glasgow, and cost £91,000. Captain J. V. Hall, who was an officer in the Panama and New Zealand Co.'s service, is in command. She left Melbourne on the 29th ultimo, at 7 p.m., and has experienced head winds throughout, arriving at Sydney Heads at 4 p.m. on the 1st instant, thus making the passage from Heads to Heads in forty-five hours. The passage to Melbourne may be quoted as follows:—The Chimborazo left Plymouth shortly before midnight on the 13th August, arrived at St. Vincent on the 21st August at 7 a.m.; left at 1 p.m. on the 22nd August, and arrived at Cape Borda, Adelaide, at 5 a.m. on the 25th September, making the run of 11,930 miles in 41¾ days, including all stoppages, but deducting, as is usual, for difference of longitude 13½ nine hours. The stoppages were thirty hours at St. Vincent, and seven hours at sea to tighten up the engines and make small adjustments. The average speed throughout was a fraction over 12 knots, and the engines were only stopped twice; the consumption of coal about 47 tons, and the ship arrived in Adelaide with sufficient coal in the bunkers to bring her on to Sydney. The Chimborazo was eighteen hours at Adelaide and thirty-six hours at Melbourne. During the passage for the greater part of the time she encountered head winds, and for 23 days strong head winds and seas, during which she averaged 270 miles a day; her greatest run was 330 miles, and her least run 252 miles, she had but nine days westerly winds in all, and scarcely set a sail for the first 27 days of the passage. In fact, the entire run was an effort of hard steaming, and had the ship been favoured with ordinary favourable weather, she would without doubt have made the voyage in two days less time. The Chimborazo ran down her easting in latitude 42 degrees south, but carried easterly winds right up to Adelaide. The names of her officers are: Chief officer, Mr. H. Brown; second, J. Valler; third, R. Iles; fourth, R. Day; purser, R. T. Ditchfield; surgeon, H. Walker; chief engineer, George Shewer.

The James Paterson (s.) left Rockhampton on Thursday, September 27th, at 0.30 p.m.; passed Cape Capricorn same day, at 8 p.m.; rounded Breaksea Spit on 28th, at 2 p.m.; passed Cape Moreton on 29th, at 0.40 p.m.; arrived in Sydney on 1st October, at 7.30 p.m. Experienced easterly winds to Sandy Cape, thence to Clarence River southerly winds, thence to Crowdy Head north-west winds, thence to Redhead south-west winds, thence to port north-east winds. Passed the Boomerang (s.) off Tacking Point at 6 p.m.

The Beagle (s.) crossed the Manning bar on September 3?, at 6.30 p.m. Cargo: 400 bags maize, 500 bags lime, 66 bags oysters, 40 sides bacon, 15 cases eggs, 8 coops poultry, 10 hides, and sundries. She passed Seal Rocks at 5.30 p.m., wind very light northerly; Port Stephens at 8 p.m., strong S. W. wind and cross sea; passed Nobby's at 3.20 a.m., October 1, entered Sydney Heads at 2 p.m. same date. Captain Hersee reports the Manning bar to be dangerously close to the North Beach; that it is impossible for a vessel to get out without its being very smooth, there only being seven feet six inches to eight feet six inches of water at high tide, and the channel very contracted. Passed the steamers Agnes Irving, Boomerang, and Clarence in the Manning Bight, bound north, on September 30.

MELBOURNE.

ARRIVALS.

September 28.—Chimborazo (s.), from London; Barrabool (s.), from Sydney.

Insubordination on Board the Chimborazo.—At the Sandridge Police Court seven seamen belonging to the s.s. Chimborazo were charged by the captain with having, on the 23rd September, while the vessel was at sea, unlawfully combined to disobey lawful commands. It appeared that a seaman had been placed in irons for insubordination, and the men on both watches refused to do any work till he was released. The captain refused to hold any conversation with them, and warned them of the result of their conduct. They still refused to work. The man was released after some hours, at the expiration of the proper period, and the men then turned to work. On the arrival of the Chimborazo at Port Phillip, these seven men who were the ringleaders in the matter were prosecuted. Six of the number, named Burns, Oldridge, Hoare, Wheatley, Thisborn, and Griffin were sentenced to eight weeks' imprisonment, the Bench pointing out the dangerous consequences which might have resulted from their conduct. Woodward, the seventh prisoner, was discharged, as it appeared he was working below at the time. William Price, a seaman of the ship Ambassador, was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment for disobeying lawful commands.—*Argus*.

The Alleged Collision between the Macduff and a Smack in the Channel.—The Melbourne City Bench was occupied on Friday until a late hour in the afternoon, hearing evidence in the case of Captain Watson, of the ship Macduff, who was summoned on a charge of having been guilty of criminal negligence in failing, without reasonable cause, to give assistance to a small craft with which his vessel came into collision in the English Channel on the 20th of May last. Mr. C. A. Smyth conducted the prosecution on behalf of the Crown, Mr. Serjeant Sleigh appeared for the defendant, and the evidence of two able seamen, the boatswain, and the carpenter of the Macduff was taken down carefully, and at length by Mr. Whelan, the clerk of the Court. It appeared that the collision took place between 1 and 2 o'clock on the morning of the 20th May, and about a mile from the lighthouse at Dungeness. The unknown craft was dismasted, and a man who was seen on board was heard to call for a rope, but the Macduff was kept on her course without heaving-to or offering any assistance. A pilot was in charge of the Macduff at the time, and Captain Watson was below in his cabin. Serjeant Sleigh contended that no case had been made out against his client, arguing first that the Bench had no jurisdiction, and second that the defendant was not the responsible party, but the pilot, who had the full charge and management of the vessel when the accident occurred. The case was dismissed.—*Age*.

By Electric Telegraph.

Melbourne.—Arrivals: September 30, Carlisle Castle, from London; Glenisdale, from Liverpool; Irazu, Hongkong, from Foochow; Glaslyn, from Natal; Aristos, from the Baltic. Departure: September 30, Lubra (s.), for Newcastle.

Adelaide.—Arrivals: September 30, Farmingham, from Mauritius. October 1, Afrique, from Mauritius. Departure: September 29, Phyllis, for Rockhampton.

Brisbane.—Departure: September 29, Florence Irving (s.), for Sydney.

Clarence Heads.—Arrived: October 1, Agnes Irving (s.), at 6.15; Clarence (s.), at 9.40 a.m.; the Boomerang (s.), passed, going north, at 11.20 a.m. The Agnes Irving (s.) grounded in crossing, and floated off at 10 o'clock, being detained four hours.

SYDNEY HEADS.

DATE.	TIME.	WIND.	REMARKS.
October 1.	8.30 a.m.	W.N.W.	Fine
	Noon.	N.E.	Ditto
	5 p.m.	N.E.	Ditto.

High water at Fort Denison, October 2, 2.53 a.m.; 3.35 p.m.

SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

CAPTAIN FRED. BURNABY, of the Royal Horse Guards, created a great deal of interest by the story of his "Ride to Khiva." He has since taken "A Trip on Horseback across Asia Minor." During the journey he was five months with the Turks, Circassians, Christians, and Devil Worshippers.

A PURE VEGETABLE OINTMENT.—PATENTED.—Josephson's Australian Ointment is the only kind to be relied upon; its healing properties surpass all preparations advertised for the cure of burns and scalds, sores, and old wounds. If you have need to be healed, try it. Its cost is only 1s pot.

BRANDIES.—MARTELL'S DARK, CENTRAL SOCIETY'S and Bechade Laffont and Co.'s, in bulk and case; whisky, port and sherry wines; J. and R. Tennant's bottled ale and stout; ration sugars, paints, corn flour, tin ore bags, vinegar, candles, woolpacks, cornsacks, sultanas, dried apples, canvas, fencing wire, sulphur, galvanised iron, hoop iron, raisins, starch, Californian canned salmon. Gilchrist, Watt and Co.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1877.

We take it for granted that the Assembly will interpose no difficulties in the way of Supply. Little as it seems to like the present Government, and unwilling as it may be to give it a further lease of power, it does not seem to like any other Government much better. Every leader seems to be objectionable, and therefore it is time that the country had some voice in the matter. Considering the expression of opinion there has been in the House against conditional dissolutions, it would be inconsistent to refuse Supply now that the dissolution has been made absolute; and any such refusal would be some justification of the conditions that have been so unpopular.

Taking it for granted, then, that Supply will be voted without any obstruction, there remains the important question, whether it shall be granted in the shape of the Appropriation Act, or whether there should be only two months' Supply for the purpose of covering the period occupied by the elections. The greater convenience of having the Appropriation Act is beyond all dispute. If that Act is passed we can wind up the session as well as the Parliament, and the new Parliament might meet on the first Tuesday in December, and commence the session proper to the year 1877. On the other hand, if only a temporary Supply is granted, then the next Parliament that meets will be still continuing the session of 1876, and will have to complete that before it can commence the session of 1877; and as no one can tell what political complications and fights may happen the moment the new Parliament assembles, it will be every way better that the business of last year should be closed before this new Parliament commences. We have never been so late with our finances before. It is quite bad enough when the session for the year begins as late as October, but it is worse still when we find ourselves in that month with last year's finances uncompleted, and with a general election in prospect before the new Parliament can assemble. On every ground therefore it is desirable that the Appropriation Act should be passed without delay.

But there is a Constitutional objection made to the effect that the present Ministry, not being that which passed the Estimates, cannot pass the Appropriation Act without going through the Estimates over again. As this question has been raised, it must necessarily be discussed, and whichever way it should be decided, we hope the House will throw no obstruction in the way of the will of the majority being carried out. We have already insinuated that we look upon the objection as without weight. The responsibility of Ministers attaches to all public business as well as to finance, and that responsibility is as important in respect to the great principles which underlie legislation, as in respect to public expenditure. With regard to measures that are not financial, it continually happens that what is commenced in one administration is continued under another; and as one Minister or other is responsible for what is done at every stage, the principle of Ministerial responsibility is concerned. No sufficient reason has been shown why finance should be treated on a footing different to other matters. It is important, of course, and to the House, that possesses the power of the purse it is exceedingly important; but the principle of Ministerial responsibility is intrinsically the same in respect to finance as with respect to any other matter. The public interest is not necessarily more involved in the expenditure of public money than in the questions which underlie many great measures of public policy. The principles of a land law for instance are really of far more importance to the country than the question whether £500,000 or £600,000 shall be spent this year in public works; much greater issues are at stake in the one case than in the other, and much more permanent effect is produced on the welfare of the country. In the Constitutional history of England, finance occupies a leading position, because the granting of supplies was the great bone of contention between the Kings and the Commons. It was the means by which Parliament extorted the redress of grievances; and it was the great engine of political warfare. But now-a-days the fight is not between the King and Commons, but between two parties in the Commons itself; and the granting of Supply has not the same relation to the intestine quarrels of one branch of the Constitution that it had to the quarrels between the two separate branches. The question of Supply is now mainly one for the country. It is not the King that is interested in the passing of the estimates, or the Governor of the colony; it is the people, for whose advantage the money is to be spent; and we have to look to the interest of the people in determining all questions as to the passage of the Estimates through the House. Nothing is gained to good government, and no damage is done to the sacredness of constitutional forms, by allowing the Estimates of one Ministry to be embodied in the Appropriation Act of another. No check on improper appropriation is removed or weakened, and no door is opened for constitutional abuses.

If Parliament insists on the Estimates being all gone over again, it might be practically impossible to get the Appropriation Act before the dissolution. When the door for discussion is once opened, it is impossible to say when it can be closed, and we may be driven to the necessity of simply getting two months' Supply instead of getting the Appropriation Act. Before such a course is adopted, there ought to be a very strong proof indeed that the plan proposed by the Ministry is opposed to the spirit as well as to the letter of the Constitution, and would be fraught with danger to sound Parliamentary finance in the future. No such proof, we believe, can be adduced.

The debate in the House of Commons on the Indian Budget for the current year, and a subsequent debate on the tariff of India, supply additional evidence of the financial embarrassment which has so long taxed the resources of British statesmanship in that part of the empire. The depreciation of silver and the oppressive famine expenditure lent additional interest to the Budget debate this year; and yet it is stated that a quorum could with difficulty be kept together while the House was dealing with Lord George Hamilton's luminous exposition. Could not a Parliament which has just made Victoria Empress of India manifest a better appreciation of the responsibility of legislating for that vast dependency of the Crown which embraces one and a half million square miles of territory and two hundred and forty millions of inhabitants?

The estimated revenue of India for the year 1866-7 was £50,500,000. The principal feeder of the revenue is the land, to which have been added taxes on opium and salt. Throughout the greatest part of Hindostan the Government was the sole land owner, but since the introduction of British rule various forms of tenure have been created unknown to Oriental countries, and chiefly tending towards the formation of an intermediate proprietary between the actual cultivators of the soil and the State after the manner of the feudal tenures of Europe. In Bengal the Permanent Settlement Agreement of Lord Cornwallis was almost a social revolution, and under that agreement the ryots really pay the taxes, the Zemindars are simply responsible to the State for them, and in return for that responsibility they become owners of the soil, and now monopolise all the increments of value effected by the labour of the ryots, and by the construction of railways, roads, and waterworks by the State. In the north-west provinces an assessment is made every thirty years, so that the tenure is that of a long and secure lease. The other provinces are divided between the Zemindar, Ryotwar, and village-renting systems, in which the taxes are paid to the State, either through middle-men or direct to Government officers. The whole land revenue received for the year was £20,000,000, and the bulk of this fell not upon the rich intermediate proprietors, but upon the actual tenants or cultivators of the soil. Mr. Fawcett pointed out, in the debate, that the cost of collecting this land tax was £2,483,892, which is equal to about 12 per cent. on the receipts, a most extravagant form of taxation; but other taxes are still more extravagant. The opium duty—which is an export duty, or a Government monopoly paid by the foreign consumer in China—yielded £9,200,000 to the Indian revenue, and cost £2,802,000 for collection, or 30 per cent. The revenue from forests was £612,000, and the cost of collection was £437,000 or 71 per cent.; though it is but fair to admit that the forests of India are being conserved more in view of their future utility than of an immediate return to the revenue. The cost of collecting the duty on salt is not stated, but the yield of this duty was £6,230,000. Altogether the revenue of India, excluding the feudatory States, was equal to about five shillings per head of the people, or one-eighth the rate of taxation in the United Kingdom, and in most British colonies. But taxation is light or heavy not simply according to its absolute rate, but according to the power of the people to bear it. If common labour in Hindostan is worth only two pence a day, and in England not less than three shillings, a revenue of fifty millions in Hindostan is equivalent to one of nearly two hundred millions in the United Kingdom. Here is the chief source of the difficulty of Indian finance, and we fear the difficulty will not cease till the labour of the bulk of the population has been rendered more valuable, and their industry turned to better account.

What prospect is there of the speedy accomplishment of a work like that? It can be done only by making railways, roads, and bridges, and by constructing great works of irrigation to store water against the successive periods of drought, so as to prevent the horrors of periodical famines. In fertility of soil, in adaptation for a variety of the most valuable crops, in mineral and forest treasures India is fabulously rich. In the skill of her native population, and in their power of learning new arts, she is equally favoured. But hitherto there has been no sufficient motive to draw forth these latent resources. Indolent as the people proverbially are, they have on occasion displayed amazing energy and force of character; but then it takes something more than the prospect of a few pounds of rice and a little salt per diem to rouse the whole manhood of a Hindoo, as it must any other race worthy of the name of man. Open up the country and make roads through the impenetrable jungles, span the rivers with bridges, connect all the great cities with railways, store up and utilise the plentiful waters of the rainy seasons, let agriculture flourish and a great trade be created with the rest of the world, and the Hindoos will prove themselves able to stand side by side with any other branch of the great Aryan family of nations in the work of industrial progress. In the debate on the India Bill of 1858, which made Victoria the Queen of India, as a recent bill has made her Empress, Mr. Bright made use of the following words:—"With regard to public works, if I were speaking for the natives of India, I would state this fact—that in a single English county there are more travellable roads than are to be found in the whole of India, and I would say also that the single city of Manchester, in the supply of its inhabitants with the single article of water, has spent a larger sum of money than the East India Company has spent in the fourteen years from 1834 to 1848 in public works of every kind throughout the whole of its vast dominions." Since then a new policy has been inaugurated in India, but it has fallen far short of the wants of so immense a country. In England the modern appliances of civilization have grown with the times, in India they have to overtake the times after centuries of neglect. The public debt is now about £131,000,000, with an annual charge for interest of £5,500,000 besides some temporary annual payments. But this debt is chiefly a war debt, and the accumulation of former deficits instead of being a reproductive expenditure. This year another deficit of five millions is expected, and a loan to that extent is proposed, half to be raised by India and half under the English guarantee. So far as this is due to the efforts of the Government to relieve the sufferers by the famine, it is creditable to British rule. It would be still more creditable to attempt to prevent these periodical famines by achieving that highest result of practical science which triumphs over the mutations of climate and makes man the true lord of the world. For a country in the condition of India that must be a work of time. Meanwhile there is another work more pressing and easier of accomplishment. The depreciation of silver cost India last year, through losses by exchange with London, £2,135,100, or nearly one-half the deficit for the year. Is it impossible for British statesmanship to devise a medium of currency that will not inflict so heavy a penalty on one part of the empire? That is a question to be considered by the public men at home. For ourselves, cannot we respond to the message of the Lord Mayor of London, and help the generous-hearted in the mother country to raise a fund for the relief of our fellow-subjects whose sufferings through famine are so appalling? Relief must be afforded at once, and in proportion to its amount and wide-spread sources will be the impetus given to the permanent measures of prevention.

Supreme Court.—Business, this day.—In Equity, before his Honor the Primary Judge, at 11 o'clock. Motions and petitions generally: Re Malcolm, deceased, and Trustee Acts, to be mentioned; re Drennan, deceased, &c., to be mentioned; Attorney-General v. Ryan and others, to be mentioned; Brown and another v. Dibbs and others (2717), injunction motion, part heard; Brown and another v. Dibbs and others, adjourned motion; Quigley v. Stevens, adjourned injunction motion; Thompson and others v. Dangar and another, further directions and costs; Hammond v. Casey, motion for decree.—Master's Office, at 10.30 a.m.: Re Bowman, W., a person, &c., to settle lease; Ward and others v. Smith and others, to settle decree on appeal.—Divorce Court: Sims v. Sims, to be resumed at 10 o'clock.

District Court.—Tuesday, 2nd October: Gibson v. Jones, Rogers v. Pearse, Foreman v. Barden, Cavey v. Childs, Whalen v. Pople, Aiken v. Perdriau, Taylor v. O'Neil, Wien v. S. U. O. Co., Harris and another v. Scott, Carter v. Graham, Wilks v. Cooper, Hill v. Saddleton, Bowen v. Jones, Fox v. Goold, English v. Bring, Aarons v. Davis, Waudby v. Nunn, Kent v. Dyer, Scott v. Short, Hardy and another v. Yarnton, Humphery v. Booty, Russell v. Shearer, Fletcher v. Milne, Fletcher v. M'Mahon, Fletcher, jun., v. Waterman.

The Famine in India.—A meeting was held in the Mayor's room, in the Town Hall, yesterday afternoon, preparatory to a public meeting, to devise measures of relief for the sufferers by the Indian famine. The Right Worshipful the Mayor occupied the chair, and the following gentlemen were present:—Aldermen Oatley, Chapman, Macintosh, Kippax, Young, Harris, O'Connor, Field, and Moore; the Rev. W. J. K. Piddington, Major Robinson, Captain Mann, Dr. Hogg, Mr. T. H. Bradley (from India), Mr. G. R. Dibbs, M.L.A., Mr. J. W. Smart, J.P., Mr. G. Kiss, Mr. G. Pile, Mr. M. Levey, Mr. W. D. Cavanough, Mr. W. Pritchard, Mr. A. Norton, Mr. J. Mills, J.P., and Mr. C. S. Wilkinson. Alderman Young moved,—"That a public meeting of the people of New South Wales be held, at half-past 7 o'clock, on Monday, the 8th October, at the Masonic Hall, for the purpose of raising a fund for the relief of the sufferers by famine in India." Alderman Chapman seconded the motion. A conversational discussion took place as to the time; some gentlemen being of opinion that the meeting should take place at an earlier date than that named, and others that 4 o'clock would be a more convenient time of the day. The motion was ultimately carried as moved. Mr. M. Levey expressed his sympathy with the movement, and pointed out that the day which had been fixed for holding the public meeting was the day on which a meeting was to be held in connection with the great Synagogue. Mr. J. W. Smart, moved,—"That the Mayor and Aldermen of the city, and the gentlemen now present, be appointed a committee to carry out the resolution just passed, with power to add to their number." Dr. Hogg seconded the resolution, and it was unanimously carried. Mr. J. W. Smart was appointed secretary pro tem. Alderman Chapman said that as this was a matter of national and not of a merely local character, it would be highly desirable that his Excellency the Governor should occupy the chair: and moved therefore, that the Mayor, with the Rev. W. J. K. Piddington, Mr. Dibbs, M.L.A., Major Robinson, and Captain Mann, be appointed a deputation to wait upon his Excellency to request that he will preside on the occasion. The motion was carried by acclamation; as also was a vote of thanks to the Mayor for his valuable services in the chair.

Fatal Accident at Pyrmont.—About 5 o'clock yesterday morning David Patterson, watchman at the old company's wharf at Pyrmont, found a man named Louis Owens, aged about 35, engaged as a watchman on board the Coonanbara steamer, lying dead on a tramway beneath the vessel as it lay on the slip. Patterson saw Owens well and sober about 12 o'clock on Sunday night, and did not hear or see anything further till he saw him dead. He had evidently fallen from the deck of the vessel to the tramway, a distance of about 20 feet. His skull was fractured, and he was much bruised about the body. The remains were taken to the deadhouse, Circular Quay, and an inquest will be held this forenoon at the Observer Tavern.

Relief to Shipwrecked Seamen.—Although the funds of the New South Wales Shipwreck Relief Society are not as yet of so large a nature to admit of the management dispensing this money in any very considerable amounts, still they have afforded pecuniary aid in cases which, from investigation, have proved deserving. We are informed that, after the wreck of the Lord Ashley, six of the seamen and the chief officer applied to the society for assistance, and that the society has granted to them such amounts as will compensate them for their loss in clothing and effects.

Closing of Stakes.—Owners of horses are reminded that nominations for the Hawkesbury Boxing-day Handicap must reach the secretary, Mr. C. S. Guest, at Richmond, at or before 4 p.m. to-morrow, and that at the same hour on the following day, Thursday, entries will close for Tattersall's Cup.

Evangelistic Services.—Yesterday the noon-day prayer meeting at the Masonic Hall was very numerously attended; and addresses delivered by the Rev. Dr. Somerville and Mr. Murphy, the Rev. Dr. Beg and the Rev. Joseph Barnier reading the more devotional part of the service. In the evening the Rev. Dr. Somerville preached his last sermon to the citizens of Sydney in the Exhibition Building. There was an immense congregation, exceeding 6000 people, and nearly the whole of them listened attentively to the preacher throughout his discourse, which occupied more than an hour in its delivery. The Rev. Mr. Fox engaged in prayer. Before the Rev. Dr. Lang pronounced the Benediction the Rev. Dr. Somerville expressed his obligations to the people of Sydney for the warm welcome extended to himself and his son. They had come to Sydney somewhat unexpectedly, but they had dropped into the arms of loving and kind friends indeed, and after they had looked on the kind efforts in such numbers their hearts could not be otherwise than filled with gratitude. They were especially under obligations to the ministers of the city of all denominations, without whose presence they could not have expected anything like the success that had attended the meetings. He could not but cherish the warmest feelings towards the ministers and gentlemen, who had shown their sympathy in this movement, and especially the Rev. Mr. Tress, the Rev. Mr. Tait, and to Mr. John Walker, his secretary. Any who had been benefited at these services would, he trusted, make haste to unite themselves to one or other of the churches of the religious denominations of the city where they would get good and do good. To those friends who had assisted in taking the pecuniary responsibility of the local expenses in getting this place put in order and otherwise he returned his thanks; and he also felt much obliged to the Press of the city for the numerous kind notices taken of these proceedings. A large part of the congregation then left, but many remained for a further service. To-night there is a service in the Exhibition building only for people from the country.

Organ Recital.—Yesterday evening the completion of the new organ at the new Congregational Church, Point Piper Road, Woollahra, was celebrated by an organ recital, given in the presence of a large audience. The performers announced to take part in the recital were Messrs. M. Younger, W. G. Broadhurst, and J. Rae. The latter gentleman, however, was unfortunately prevented by severe indisposition from being present, but Mr. Hector M'Lean very kindly undertook, at a moment's notice, to supply the vacancy. There was also a fourth organist in Mr. Scrutton, of St. Peter's, who acted as accompanist to an efficient choir, and also gave an effective solo. With such an array of talent as this, it need not be said that the concert was in every respect an excellent one, more especially as the programme consisted of nothing but really sterling music, including some of the choicest pieces by the best composers. The choir sang some effective choruses with great taste and care. The organ, which was built in England by Messrs. Forster and Andrews, is of very sweet tone, although at the same time it is quite sufficiently powerful for the building in which it is placed. It contains the following stops:—On the great organ bourdon, 16 feet tone; open diapason, 8 feet; stopped diapason, 8 feet tone; dulciana, 8 feet; flute, 4 feet; principal, 4 feet; twelfth, 3 feet; fifteenth, 2 feet; on the swell organ—open diapason, 8 feet; flute d'amour, principal, 4 feet; oboe, 8 feet; on the pedal organ—violone, 18 feet; bourdon, 16 feet tone; couplers—swell to great organ; swell to pedals; great to pedals. Of these stops, two, the bourdon on the great organ, and the violone on the pedal, are new stops, having been made and added to the organ by Mr. C. J. Jackson, organ-builder, of this city, by whom this organ has been erected, and who deserves the greatest credit for the artistic manner in which he has performed his work. The case, which is of colonial pine, very neatly polished, is also the work of Mr. Jackson. All the stops are good, the flute d'amour especially is a beautiful stop, and we believe this organ is the only one in the colony which possesses this stop. The stops go all through the manuals from CC to G, 56 notes; and in the pedals from CCC to F, 30 notes. The new stops added by Mr. Jackson are made from scales sent to him by his brother, who is a member of the well known firm of Gray, Davison and Co., of London and Liverpool. The members of this church may be congratulated upon possessing a beautiful instrument, which is in every respect an ornament to the church.

The Political Situation.—Whatever may be thought of the constitutional questions involved in the present Ministerial crisis at Sydney (observes the *Australasian*), on one substantial and practical point there can be no difference of opinion, and that is that, however it may be obtained, a speedy dissolution is indispensable. The Parliament has been in existence nearly three years, and during that time has voted the ejection of four Governments. The only Premiers apparently open to its selection have been Sir H. Parkes and Sir J. Robertson, and it has expelled each of these gentlemen from office twice. As Sir J. Robertson pointed out in his minute to the Governor, six members of the majority who six months ago voted against the Government of Sir H. Parkes, on the motion of Sir J. Robertson, recorded their votes last week against the Government of the latter gentleman, without even waiting to consider the proposals of that Ministry. Thus the Assembly has twice condemned the Ministries formed by the only gentlemen who felt themselves able to form Ministries at all. No stronger or more definite declaration of its inability to supply materials for a stable Government, or to transact the business of the country, could be imagined. It would be to no purpose to inquire into the causes of the impotency which has characterised this Parliament, or how far this was due to the confused and personal issue put before the country at the general election, which turned mainly on the release of the convict Gardiner and the conduct of Sir H. Parkes in his action towards the Governor. However it came about, the result has shown that the Parliament has from the first been incapable of anything better than faction fighting and personal wrangles. It has practically wasted nearly the whole of its tenure of existence. The only essential question is, whether it shall be permitted to waste the three or four months which remain of its full term, or shall be made to give place to a House capable of forming and supporting a firm Government, and of proceeding without delay with the business of the country.

The International Eight-oared Race.—We learn from the *Argus* of Saturday that the following letter was sent to Sydney on the proposed intercolonial eight-oared boat race in answer to one received in Melbourne from the executive committee recently appointed to carry out the match:—"Melbourne, September 27, 1877. Dear sir,—I have the pleasure to acknowledge your letter of the 17th instant, in which you accept, on behalf of the executive committee appointed at a public meeting in Sydney, the challenge from the Victorian Rowing Association for an eight-oared race between our colonies. The alteration of the date of the proposed contest was considered at a meeting held on Monday last, when my committee expressed themselves as willing and anxious to meet your oarsmen in every way practicable. They suggest (as December will not suit you) that the match be rowed on the first Saturday in March. As even this date will put the Melbourne, Barwon, and Albert Park regattas into April, any date later than the one named will be very detrimental to their success. With regard to the term bona fide amateur, I am instructed to state that my committee's definition is expressed in No. 20 of the Melbourne Regatta rules, viz.:—'That the following, at least, will be disqualified—Any one who has entered for a race advertised as for watermen; any one who has rowed for a money prize in Victoria; any one who has earned, or partially earned, his living by rowing, or has taken, directly or indirectly, money in recognition of his skill in rowing at or since the Melbourne Regatta 1860; and anyone who is or has been engaged in building, letting, or tending boats;' and with this addition, that manual labour men shall be excluded. I hope that your committee will find the date suitable and the definition satisfactory to them.—I remain, dear sir, faithfully yours—Hon. Secretary Victorian Rowing Association.—To Mr. W. R. Benson, Hon. Sec. Executive Committee of the Intercolonial Boat Race, Sydney." It has been decided by the association here to leave the choosing of the crew to represent this colony in the hands of Messrs. Coates, Hood, and Rolls, three experienced and non-competing members of the committee. Nothing has yet been done in the way of picking the crew, but it is not unlikely that the eight will be selected from the following names:—Fairbairn, Nichols, Armytage, Ward, Young, Irvine, Tuckett, Watson, Booth, Duncan, Simson (Barwon), Carter, and Johnston. Probably the majority of the crew will be selected next week, and one or two seats left vacant for trial.

Alleged Child Murder at Urana.—At the Urana Police Court, on Thursday (the *Banner* states), Jessie Curtis was charged with the murder of her infant child, on or about the 18th ultimo, at the Urana gold-field. The witnesses for the prosecution were constable Glenfield, Mrs. Mills, and Dr. Twining. After the evidence had been taken, prisoner was committed for trial at the Wagga Circuit Court.

A Singular Deputation.—The *S. A. Register* states that the Council of Education, on September 24, had an extraordinary deputation before them. Mr. Mann, M.P., who introduced two Yacka residents, paved the way for something immense by remarking that they waited on the Council to make some "trifling" complaints. Mr. Patterson, one of the deputation, then presented a memorial signed by parents representing twenty children, praying that a male teacher might be appointed in the place of the present female teacher, who was not conducting the school in a satisfactory manner. Mr. Patterson's colleague (Mr. Burford) said he was surprised that his companion had presented such a memorial! Had he known of such a document he would have brought up one on the other side, as the present teacher was doing her work well, and he would much prefer her to the male teacher whom Mr. Patterson no doubt had in his mind's eye. He also contended that the persons who signed the memorial presented by his colleague did not represent twenty children, and that the feeling of the district was in favour of the present teacher. It further appeared that there was an interesting difference between this lady and the Institute Committee. They wanted to charge her three farthings a week rent for the school building, and she was willing to pay 1s. a quarter. One of the "complaints" against the Council was that they had not sent the requisite school furniture up to Yacka. The President said it was not sent because of the difference between the residents (or Institute Committee) and the teacher. When that was settled the furniture could be dispatched next day. At the close of the interview one of the members of the Council said the deputation was the most extraordinary one he had ever seen; another member suggesting it was a case of the poison and the antidote!

A Mysterious Disappearance.—For some time past (says the *Wagga Express*) a good deal of excitement has existed among the residents at the Cross Roads in consequence of the mysterious disappearance of a young man named Harry Walkener, who some time ago rented a farm in the neighbourhood from a selector named Morris, residing in the same locality. When Walkener first entered into occupation of the farm he had six horses, and subsequently procured a plough, pair of harrows, &c., which he placed on the property. After he had been on the farm a short time, a man named Thomas Watson, who is pretty well known in Wagga, went to work with him at splitting posts, and rails, and shingles. Up to about six weeks ago the two men worked together. About Friday, the 17th August, Walkener was last seen, and as he had a number of friends in the locality, inquiries as to his whereabouts were naturally made. Watson stated that he had left with a man to go to some "ranges," the name of which he could not tell, nor could he inform any one of the description of the man he was said to have gone with. He further stated that he (Walkener) was a Tasmanian native, and might have gone to his friends there. Shortly after this Watson disposed of one of the horses left by Walkener for £5, the purchaser being a man named Stein, and he also took a deposit of 15s. for another of the horses from a man named Stivano or Stephano. He stated further that he had bought Walkener's horses for £34, and paid £16 in cash on the transaction. He said that he had documents of the sale, but subsequently alleged that his hut had been broken into and the papers stolen. He had also, it appears, collected money from Mr. Walsh, which was due to Walkener for fencing, and had taken from the farm a plough which he said he had purchased from Walkener, but had no receipt. Some of the neighbours on questioning Watson about Walkener was told by him that he had informed the police of his disappearance, but when asked by the latter, he alleged that he had said "he intended to inform the police." The latter now have the matter in hand, and are busily engaged prosecuting inquiries. The disappearance is a most extraordinary one, and of course all sorts of rumours are afloat concerning the missing man. Up to the present the investigation has elicited some very peculiar features which should lead to the conviction of the guilty parties if there has been any foul play.

Theatre Royal.—There was a very large audience in every part of this theatre last night, the stalls and pit being especially crowded. The opera was "La Fille de Madame Angot," and the Soldene troupe are to be congratulated on having produced it in a style deserving of every commendation. It was well sung, well acted, and well placed on the stage, in all respects leaving little, if anything, to be desired. The following was the cast of the principal characters:—Mdlle. Lange, Miss Soldene; Clairette Angot, Miss Rose Stella; Ange Pitou, Mr. Campbell; Pomponnet, Mr. J. H. Jarvis; Larivaudière, Mr. E. Farley; Trenitz, Mr. John Wallace; Louchard, Mr. Edward Marshall. Miss Stella's performance of Clairette fully justified the opinion of those who on her first appearance in Sydney pronounced her to be the best singer and, next to Miss Soldene herself, the best actress in the company. She had every opportunity in the opera, and she availed herself of it, to the general satisfaction of the audience, who encored her over and over again. Miss Soldene's acting was excellent, of course, there was nothing "ill done or come tardy off" in it, and she was moreover in good voice. Mr. Campbell did tolerably well as Ange Pitou; and Messrs. Farley, Wallace, and J. Marshall could not be amiss in their parts. There was nothing in the performance which could offend good taste, and the opera was from first to last played with spirit and effect. Having censured where it appeared that a warning was necessary, it is agreeable now to be able to praise. In the third act "The Garden of Calypso," a ballet was danced by Miss Florence Slater and the company, which was much applauded. To-night the opera will be repeated.

The Victoria Theatre.—On Saturday night there was produced at this theatre, Moncrieff's dramatised version of Pierce Egan's novel, entitled, "Tom and Jerry, or Life in London," published in 1821, a work which, in the days of our grandfathers, was a great favourite with George the Fourth. The book illustrating fast life in London about the beginning of the century was embellished with clever engravings in colours, after designs by Cruikshank. The dresses of the women and men of full 50 years ago, seem now to be very strange indeed and outlandish, and one can scarcely bring himself to believe, that there are those now living who can remember the time when such fashions were worn. There were some departures at the theatre from the orthodox style of the period with respect to dress; but, on the whole, this matter had evidently been attended to by the *costumier*. Some of the scenes were amusing; but it is very much to be doubted whether any audience can derive much pleasure from hearing the loud slang of days gone by, although there may be some interest attaching to the representation of the manners of the period. Corinthian Tom, Jerry Hawthorne, and Logic were suitably represented by the company; while the *rôles* of Tom and Jerry's lady friends were also well filled. There was introduced into the programme of the evening a set-to between Jem Mace and Foley; and Professor Borthwick Reid performed some clever feats of swordsmanship. Tom and Jerry was repeated last night. The Dutch, Irish, and Nigger specialities of Messrs. Cheevers and Kennedy were especially good of their kind.

Queen's Theatre.—This place of amusement was crowded to its fullest extent last night, by an audience that assembled to witness the first appearance of the Simonsen opera company, and the consequence was that although the proprietary have recently done much to improve the place, the want of increased ventilation was again felt in nearly every part. The piece chosen for the occasion was "Giroflé-Girofla," the musical beauties of which as well as its complexities have so extended and favourable a renown that description or comment on them at present would not improve or alter them in any degree. There was a very efficient orchestra present, and the manner in which they rendered the overture was a very satisfactory indication that there would be little fault to be found in regard to the musical portion of the programme. It is to be regretted, for the sake of the opera bouffe, as well as for the sake of the music-loving portion of those present, that the same full compliment could not be paid to the vocalists generally. Madame Simonsen, who undertook the representation of the twin sisters, over-estimated her qualities as a soloist in a very observable manner, and certainly failed to impress the audience either with the purity of her voice or the excellence of her acting. Mr. Henry Bracy, an old favourite here, played Marasquin very fairly, but in some instances his register was not equal to the score. He, however, made up well as he usually does, and being excellently supported by Mr. T. B. Browning as Mourzouk, and Mr. H. Hodgson as Bolero, created a large amount of interest in the plot. Whatever weakness was noticeable as regarded solos was amply compensated for by the fulness and power of the choruses. The artists' rendering these evinced precision and harmony in a very agreeable manner, while their obedience to Mr. Simonsen's baton contributed largely towards making their efforts effective. The company were all well conversant with their parts and each of them dressed appropriately. The piece, which ran without a hitch or break to its termination, will be repeated this evening.

This day, at 11 a.m., consignment of paperhangings and iron bedsteads; also, new shipment of fire-proof safes. Bradley, Newton, and Lamb, Spring and O'Connell streets.—Adv.

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EIGHT HOURS' DEMONSTRATION.

The eighth anniversary of the establishment of the eight hours per day system, was celebrated yesterday by a monster public demonstration and an excursion to Clontarf. Captain Cook's "statue" was the place of rendezvous, and from half-past 8 till half-past 9 o'clock, the crowd of banners grew until it numbered fully 3000 persons. The demonstrators were then formed into a procession, and with the banners of their various unions spread to the breeze, and accompanied by several bands of music, they began their march through some of the principal thoroughfares. The route traversed was from Hyde Park, along Bathurst-street and Pitt-street to Christ Church, thence by George-street, Hunter-street, and Pitt-street, to the Circular Quay. A crowd of people kept pace with the procession on either pavement along the line of route, and the demonstration presented a very imposing appearance. Five large steamers, the Breadalbane, Emu, Gundong, Sapphire, and Manly, were in readiness to transport the excursionists to Clontarf, and not a long time was occupied in providing each one with a full freight. The knowledge that a great number must necessarily be left behind produced a fearful amount of crushing to get on board the steamers, and it is surprising that no serious injury was caused. It did, unfortunately, happen that two persons were treated to an involuntary cold bath through the breaking of the plank leading on to one of the steamers, but they were immediately rescued. The arrangements for embarkation were certainly not the best that might have been devised. Had there been ten steamers instead of five, there would not have been one too many. It was nearly 1 o'clock in the afternoon before the last of the excursionists got away. The police from sub-inspector Johnston's division, with a few of the water police, did good service in preserving order and preventing accidents. On arriving at Clontarf, all sorts of amusements were entered upon. The principal one was dancing, which was indulged in to an unbounded extent, not only in the pavilion but on the green, and not only to the strains of the Imperial and Albion bands, but even to the discordant promptings of a couple of hurdy-gurdies. Among the other recreations were swings and a merry-go-round for the juveniles, kiss-in-the-ring for a numerous young men and women, acrobatic and other performances for the lovers of the marvellous, and several minor attractions. A score or two of youths amused themselves at "pitch and toss" behind the pavilion. Many families were to be seen encamped in the agreeable shade of the trees, with the contents of well-stocked hampers spread out on cloths before them, and it must be owned that their mode of enjoyment seemed most enviable. Refreshments of every kind were procurable in abundance.

Luncheon for the members of the committee and their friends was served in the pavilion late in the afternoon, the provedore being Mr. Miller, of Pitt-street. Mr. John Irwin occupied the chair. Among the guests present were the Hon. John Davies, M.P. (Postmaster General), Mr. A. Cameron, M.P., Mr. J. M'Elhone, M.P., Aldermen Palmer and Carpenter, Mr. G. L. Carter, Mr. J. M'Lean, J.P., Mr. Thomas White (President of the Trades and Labour Council), and others.

Due justice having been done to the good things provided, the toasts of "The Queen," and "The Prince and Princess of Wales," were duly honoured.

The CHAIRMAN then proposed "The Day we Celebrate." Mr. THOMAS WHITE responded. Though he belonged to a trade which had not adopted the eight-hours' system, he had all his life been an ardent advocate of the system. When he saw the large procession to-day passing along George-street, and the numbers of other working people, who, though unable to leave their work to take part in the demonstration, still turned out to show their sympathy with it, he felt convinced that the time was not far distant when the eight hours principle would become an established fact among all branches of industry. The establishment of that principle was due to the action of the Trades Unions which had met with so much opposition from the Press. The victories which had been gained by associations of working men in Sydney had been gained, not by violence, but by agitation and the exercise of common sense. The trades unions had showed themselves as a pattern to those working men who held aloof from them. They had the universal interests of capital and the Press against them, and he called upon them as working-men to be united. He hoped the day was not far distant when eight hours would be made a legal day's work. (Cheers.)

The next toast proposed was "The Parliament."

The Hon. JOHN DAVIES responded. It afforded him great pleasure to meet them at their festive gathering. It was not the first occasion of the kind at which he had been present. Many years before he had any idea of aspiring to the position which he now occupied in the confidence of the people it was his privilege to meet the working-men at their annual gatherings. He had been all his life a consistent advocate of the principle of eight hours as a standard day's labour, and he endeavoured at all times to give effect to his opinions. When Mr. Cameron introduced in the Assembly his resolution to make eight hours a standard day's labour (Mr. Davies), in conjunction with a few others, was found recording his vote in favour of that principle. And when he took his seat in the City Council, his first act in the discharge of his public duty was to table a resolution for the adoption of the eight hours principle in the city works, but he found very few supporting him, although some who voted against him had professed themselves before the ratepayers to be in favour of the principle. He was very much pleased to see the large demonstration which had been made. He was satisfied that the movement was growing in strength, and he was sure that it had the sympathies of all thinking men who took an interest in the labouring classes of the country. If they would only use their power with discretion, he had no doubt that they would be able to return to the Legislature members who would support the eight hours' principle. (Cheers.)

Mr. CAMERON also responded. He was glad to know that the time was rapidly approaching when the working men would have an opportunity of again expressing their opinion as to what men should rule their destinies. He was sure that some who had unnecessarily gone out of their way to stigmatize the trades' unions would meet with the just retribution they deserved. This reminded him of a newspaper war which had lately taken place in reference to a certain gentleman, a representative of the people, having stigmatised the working classes by terms which they did not deserve. Whatever might be the merits or the demerits of the correspondence which had taken place, the fact remained that language condemnatory of the working classes was used by the gentleman in question, who, upon the occasion when he (Mr. Cameron) moved the reduction of the immigration vote, distinctly stated that, if the working classes were to save the money they spent in trades-unions and in drink they would be better off. A fouler libel was never uttered. The gentleman who uttered sentiments so discreditable to himself was altogether beside the truth. There was no trades-union or body of trades-unionists who supported any of their officers, or kept anybody living upon them. There was only one organization in this country which paid an official secretary, and that was the Coal Miners Association. But it happened that that organisation stood in the way of the fortune-making of the gentleman he was referring to, and, perhaps, therefore, he had cause for speaking feelingly on the subject. This gentleman owned a colliery which paid so badly that the miners employed in it were forced to live on pollard and bran, and to seek assistance from their fellowmen. He disagreed with Mr. White's statement that the whole of the capitalists were against the working men. Some of them might be, but the intelligent capitalist was not, and he was sure that the capitalists of the country generally would scout the assertions of the man who had libelled men equally as good as himself. (Cheers.)

Mr. M'ELHONE also responded.

The next toast was "The Working Men's Defence Association," which was responded to by Mr. J. M'LEAN, J.P. The toast of "The Press" brought the festive proceedings to a close.

The steamers began making their return trips early in the afternoon, and though the hour was somewhat late when the last batch embarked, all the excursionists were conveyed back to the Circular Quay without any mishap occurring.

THE LATE FIRE IN PARRAMATTA-STREET.

YESTERDAY forenoon the City Coroner resumed, at the Huntsman's Arms, Parramatta and Bay streets, an inquest touching the circumstances connected with the recent fire at 307, Parramatta-street. Mr. Want appeared for the Pacific and Mutual offices, and was instructed by Mr. Bowden. Mr. T. T. Gray appeared to watch the proceedings on behalf of Mr. Joseph Evans Gerrett.

The following further evidence was taken:—

Constable James Ryan (by Coroner) deposed that he did duty at No. 2 Station; on the morning of Sunday, the 23rd of last month, at about five minutes past 3 o'clock, he heard the voice of a woman singing out fire; he was just then at the junction of the Newtown Road with Parramatta-street; he ran at once to the spot from which the voice proceeded in front of Mr. Gerrett's; on reaching that he noticed through the shutters of Mr. Gerrett's shop that the window was on fire; Mrs. Collis was standing on the footpath in front of the shop; she had her daughter with her; witness knocked at the shutters in front for fear some one should be inside; some one told him that there was no person living on the premises; witness immediately ran to Mr. Gerrett's place in Grosvenor-street, from 100 to 200 yards distant; witness knew his residence; he knocked at the door and called out, "Mr. Gerrett, Mr. Gerrett, your place is on fire!" he said, "Here is the key—are the fire-engines sent for?" witness did not reply, but left for the fire, followed immediately after by Mr. Gerrett; when they got there Mr. Gerrett ran down the passage to the back yard, to which he was followed by witness; on getting to the back door Mr. Gerrett said, "Oh, it's open;" witness could see that it was open; Mr. Gerrett said, "Can anything be done?" the shop was then on fire, so that no one could enter; the storeroom was not yet on fire; the door leading to it was also open; Mr. Gerrett did not seek to enter by the side door, but ran down the passage, and entered the premises by a back door in the skillion.

By Mr. Want: Mr. Gerrett did not try to unlock the gate at the end of the passage, but pushed it open; Mr. Gerrett came instantly to the door of his house when he (witness) knocked; he said that he had been called before.

By Mr. Gray: Witness did not call out, "Make haste Mr Gerrett, it takes a great deal to wake you;" he, however, said "Be quick," but this was when he got to the place; Mr. Gerrett had his trousers and shirt on; he had not his coat or boots on.

By Mr. Want: He did not see him open the side door.

By the Coroner: He only saw Mrs. Collis and the girl near the fire when he got up to the shop.

By jurors: When Mr. Gerrett offered him the key, he did not say that it was the key of any particular door.

Joseph Evans Gerrett recalled.

By Mr. Want: He could not tell what amount of goods he had sent to the Shoalhaven store during the last three months while the store was his, and while it was his brother's; he might get the invoices, as invoices were sent; he could get invoices to show the amount of stock purchased during the last six months; he could obtain a list of the bills outstanding, and also those that were renewals; he did not remember on the night before the fire the shopboy being sent away earlier than usual; they all went away together; on the day before the fire he did not remember ladies or customers calling and asking for a number of things which he had not got; they might have called; he did not tell them that Mrs. Gerrett was going down to purchase stock the next day.

By Mr. Gray: His liabilities had been greater than they were at the time of the fire; he had owed Gardiner at one time, for instance, about £1000; his liabilities had never been less than they were now; he had been in business for about two years; there were between £300 and £400 coming due at the beginning of the present month; he had good debts to about this amount; they were all good with the exception of one or two—about £20 or £25 in all; the greater number of these he had never asked for; he thought that if he had tried he would have been able to have got in quite the half of these debts before the 4th of the month: between the 23rd of last month and the 4th of present he thought that he would have taken in the shop quite £100, probably £150; to aid him in paying his bills, he could have had a bank overdraft; he had, besides his balance at the bank, about £40 in cash, besides promissory notes for £27 10s. and £14 odd; the expenses of working the business were very small; the expenses for household and business, including wages per week—including rent, 22s. 6d.—were under £6 10s. per week; he paid 10s. per week for his residence, 50s. per week for his assistant, and 7s. 6d. per week for the boy; the assistant boarded at his house; he had a lease of the shop premises, and had improved them.

By Mr. Want: The goods he had sent his brother within the last month had been purchased from Newton, Brothers, and Wilson, Tait and Co.; these were purchased on his brother's account; they were bought in his name, and were shipped direct to him, and booked to him; they had nothing to do with his own account.

The inquiry was further adjourned till Tuesday fortnight, the 16th instant, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

ORANGE.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

THE weather here is splendid; a considerable quantity of rain has fallen, and there is every appearance of more. The country looks quite green and luxuriant, and the grass is springing up very quickly.

The town is now lighted with gas; several street-lamps having been erected, and others only waiting the kind services of the Town Council's officers to assume the perpendicular: they are a great improvement on the old oil lamps. I notice that it has been determined, subject to the approval of the Legislature, to buy a block of land as a site for a Town Hall; so our municipal representatives have evidently made up their minds to Sydneyise the town as much as possible. With respect to the great rise that has taken place in the value of landed property here, an allotment in one of the main streets was lately sold at £25 per foot, the original acre of which it formed a part having only a few years ago been sold for £250.

Some efforts have been made to establish a cloth factory here, but as far they have been unsuccessful, partly owing to the apathy and short-sightedness of the moneyed portion of the community; unless some staple manufactures are started there will certainly be in Orange, after the railway passes, the same stagnation of trade that has been experienced in Bathurst. The question of water supply for the town has been the chief obstacle to the successful floating of the above scheme; but, since the visit of Mr. Clark, the hydraulic engineer, we anticipate a speedy settlement of this very important matter.

The Rev. James B. Laughton has accepted the pastorate of St. John's Presbyterian Church here, and will be inducted next week.

A batch of immigrants arrived here some days ago, and all seem now to have found employment. In my opinion, it is a mistake on the part of the Government sending them to any place without first ascertaining whether there is any great demand for labour in that particular district; agricultural labourers can always be sure of getting work. But it is otherwise with skilled workmen, artizans, and others; and these usually form the majority of emigrants from other countries—several of these fine, able-bodied men—were wandering about the town for days, having been unable to secure work, and without a sous in their pockets.

Favourable reports of the good done by the late rains come from all the surrounding districts. At Forbes nearly four inches fell altogether in the course of a fortnight—a sufficiency to ensure an abundance of summer grass, and also to carry the crops well on to maturity. Round Cudal the country is as green as a leek, so that the wheat harvest will probably be a splendid one. Equally good news comes from Molong, Wellington, and Dubbo.

Very great satisfaction is felt at the reductions made in the railway tariff. Those effected in the goods rates have occurred very opportunely at a time when immense quantities of wool are being forwarded to the city. The reports of the different stock and station agents here show a slight dulness in trade, though no doubt this will cease as soon as pasture becomes more abundant. For fat cattle, average prices are given. Very little doing in fat sheep and stores, probably because this being the shearing season, holders prefer getting off the fleece themselves.

September 30.

WELLINGTON.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

IT is with very great regret that I have to inform you of the death, by his own hand, of Mr. W. F. Wynne, late proprietor of the Royal Hotel, a man very popular in the district, and one of the last who would be expected to commit such a deed. The recent death of a son by accident, and certain complications in business matters, are said to have preyed upon his mind, and to have induced him to drink rather too freely of late. The result was that on Thursday night, September 27, he took a quantity of sulphuric acid and afterwards cut his throat. He died about 12 o'clock the same night. The affair has cast quite a gloom over the community, and the greatest commiseration is felt for Mrs. Wynne and family. At the coroner's inquest a verdict was returned to the effect that deceased committed self-destruction while labouring under temporary insanity.

Our agricultural society is coming to the fore again. A meeting was lately held at Hughes's Royal Hotel, Mr. R. T. B. Caten, J.P., president of the society, in the chair, when it was decided to apply to the Minister for Works for compensation for the fence erected round the block granted to the society by Government, or for leave to remove the fence to the piece of land granted in lieu of the first piece. It was also decided to go on with the erection of sheep and cattle yards upon the new ground; and Messrs. Rodda, Ferguson, and Hughes were appointed a sub-committee to prepare plans. I understand the Government have replied to the effect that they will permit the fence to be removed and pay the cost. Tenders are to be called for the erection of yards. Now that matters are settled, it is intended to push the society's affairs forward without delay; and from the healthy tone of all things connected with this society and the energy of the president, a very successful show is expected next year.

The late splendid rains have caused a nice spring in the grass, and matters pastoral have a much improved appearance.

September 30.

ALBURY.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.]

THE weather during the past week has been all that could be desired, either by pastoralist or agriculturist. The days have been fine, without excessive heat, and the nights have been mild and free from any trace of frost. Such weather following close upon the late rains has had the effect of forcing all vegetation forward at railroad speed. The grass is springing with wonderful luxuriance, and feed is now abundant everywhere. The crops also are looking first rate, in fact I have not heard a single growl from a farmer during the week. The sudden change in the appearance of the country has created a demand in all quarters for store sheep; and this demand is now being met from the Victorian side of the river, large numbers of store sheep having been purchased in the vicinity of Ballarat and other parts of the neighbouring colony. Stud sheep are also coming very freely. Within the last two or three days close on 300 stud rams have passed over. Amongst the rest were 100 purchased by Mr. Osborne from Sir Samuel Wilson, of Ercildoun; 99 from Mr. G. Thomson, in the Ballarat district; and 40 from Mr. Russell's flocks at Geelong. These are destined for various parts of the country between the Murray and the Murrumbidgee.

There has been a large amount of dissatisfaction created amongst selectors down the river by the action of Mr. Garrett with reference to Quat Quatta Reserve No. 42. This reserve—a long narrow strip of country lying between Howlong and Corowa—has for years past been a source of annoyance to selectors in the neighbourhood. Hemmed in on both sides by selections the land was little better than a trap for the selectors' cattle, which could not stray a yard from their proper boundaries without being impounded. More than this, the land was wanted by the conditional purchasers for the increase of their adjacent holdings; so great was the demand, indeed, that in all probability every acre would have been taken up had the opportunity been afforded. Mr. Garrett, however, so arranges the date of the revocation of the reserve that the selectors did not get a very good chance of operating. The proclamation in the *Gazette* announcing that the reserve was revoked was dated August 22; after this thirty days had, of course, to elapse before the revocation could take effect, and this period expired on Friday, the 21st instant, thus giving five clear days during which the squatter was enabled to anticipate the selectors. That this opportunity was made good use of I need hardly say. The Crown lessee certainly did not allow the grass to grow under his feet, in his efforts to bar selection. A large number of men were at once put on to effect improvements, and the consequence was that when on Thursday last the land was open for selection the best portions of the reserve were gone. The people who were thus prevented from conditionally purchasing blocks upon which they had set their hearts are particularly wroth with the late Minister for Lands, and in some instances have lodged complaints against the land agent for refusing their applications on Thursday, the 20th instant, but the official in question was of course only performing his duty. The only legitimate grievance lies in the course taken by Mr. Garrett in causing the revocation to take effect so long before a land-office day.

Another painful example of the necessity for some accommodation being provided for the treatment of insane persons pending their removal to a lunatic asylum, was brought under notice on Tuesday last. A man named Donellan, being found lying in an insensible state in the bush near Black Range, was taken up by a person who chanced to see him, and brought to the Albury hospital. Donellan, being still insensible, speechless, and rigid, was at once admitted to the institution as an emergency case, and treated by the hospital surgeon. He had not, however, been long in the ward before he showed unmistakable symptoms of insanity of a violent and dangerous type. He was consequently put into a strait-waistcoat and given into the custody of the police. After a night in the lock-up he was brought before the Bench and remanded to gaol for eight days for medical treatment. Now, the accommodation at the Albury gaol is altogether unfit for this sort of thing, and the Government medical officer has more than once called attention to the fact that patients there confined must, of necessity, have their chances of recovery lessened. The only rooms available are the ordinary prison cells, and the strength of the staff of officials is not such as to permit of a special attendant being provided to look after insane persons, even supposing any of the warders possessed the necessary experience to qualify them for the task.

The latest news from Bethanga is highly encouraging. The number of business places and private residences is rapidly increasing, and everything in fact tends to show that the residents have every confidence in the permanent character of the gold-field. The shareholders in the New Year's Gift prospecting claim have agreed to let the working of the copper lode in their claim to be worked on tribute by Messrs. Harris and Hollow, two experienced copper miners. The tributers, it is understood, have deposited £500 as a guarantee of their intention to erect the necessary furnaces on a proper scale, and they have further contracted for the burning of 100,000 bricks for the building. On Tuesday they pegged out a convenient site for the works at the lower entrance to the township, and one consequence of their action has been that the ground in the locality has been fairly rushed by traders anxious to secure good business stands in what they believe will soon form a new centre of population. The shareholders of the New Year's Gift reserve to themselves the right of taking out the auriferous quartz, and the tributers are confined to the copper lode, which is altogether a separate and distinct vein. Munro's mill, which has now been idle for a considerable length of time, again starts to work on Monday upon a parcel of some fifty or sixty tons from the claim of Christie and Co. on the Excelsior line, Mr. Dent having rented the machine. A previous crushing from this claim gave 1 oz. to the ton, and to judge by the appearance of the stone now being sent down, the present lot will turn out pretty nearly as well. Most of the machines are now steadily at work upon stone from various reefs, and a large parcel is being put through from "the Gift." At Sabelberg's machine the Berdan basin treatment is being adopted with marked success upon the tailings, whenever the owners of the stone crushed choose to incur the extra expense involved. The extra charge is not large, and the gold saved generally well repays the cost of extraction.

A meeting of the Albury and Border Pastoral and Agricultural Society was held on Thursday, to consider the matter of selecting a site for the proposed new yards. Mr. George Day, M.P., the chairman, suggested that an attempt should be made to secure a portion of the Alexandra Park reserve. Other members appeared to think that the five-acre block proposed to be ceded by the Town Council would answer all purposes. It was eventually decided to leave the selection in the hands of a sub-committee, which was accordingly appointed for the purpose.

In answer to a requisition numerously signed, the Mayor has convened a public meeting, to consider what steps should be taken to recognise the public services to the district of Mr. George Day, M.P.

The following selections were taken up at the local Land Office, on Thursday:—Lewis Richardson, 40 acres, Talmalmo; Thomas Cross, 150 acres, Moragle; Thomas Mitchell, 60 acres, Hume; John Pierce, 40 acres, Wellimbe; Patrick Daley, 191½ acres, Woomargama; William Ridley, 50 acres, Bungowannah.

A sale of Crown lands took place here on Wednesday, with the following results:—Lots A and B, of 320 acres, in the parishes of Henty and Piney Range respectively, were withdrawn. Lots C, D, and E, 40 acres, 40 acres, and 80 acres, in the parish of Walbundry, were purchased by Messrs. Goldsbrough and Co., at the upset price of £1 per acre. For lots F, G, and H there was no offer. Lot I, of 56¼ acres, parish of Jindera, was bought by Mr. C. Westendorff, at the upset price of £81 15s. for the lot. Lots J and K, of 402 acres and 210 acres, were purchased at £1 per acre by a buyer whose name I did not catch. There was no offer for lots L, M, and N. Lots O, P, and Q, in all 293 acres 1 rood 18 perches, in parish of Billabong, were purchased by Mr. James M'Laurin, of Yarra Yarra, at the upset price of £1 per acre. Lot K, 64 acres parish of Bark Creek, was bought by Mr. A. Ross, of Ten Mile Creek, at £1 per acre. Lots S and T, in all 80 acres, parish of Yambla, were bought by Mr. James Mitchell, of Tabletop, at the upset price of £75 10s. and £100 10s.

The property smuggled over the river last week by a resident of this town has been confiscated by the Government, and, together with the dray in which it was brought over the river, is advertised for sale by auction.

September 29.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, &c.; at the Camperdown Yards, at 2, Horses.

H. VAUGHAN.—At his Rooms, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects, Sewing-machines, Guns, &c.

C. TEAKLE.—On the Premises, 376, George-street, at 10.30, Drapery, Clothing, Hosiery, Stays, Counters, Fixtures, &c.

HARRIS AND ACKMAN.—At 141, Pitt-street, at 11, Household Furniture, Platedware, Chinaware, Pier Glasses, Glassware, &c.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, AND LAMB.—At their Rooms, at 11, Paperhangings, Iron Bedsteads, &c.

J. G. COHEN.—At 257, Margaret-street, at 11, Ale, Porter, Raisins, Brandy, Cutlery, &c.

C. MOORE AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Varnish, Paint, Window Glass, Sewing-machines, Pipes.

L. E. THRELKELD.—At their Rooms, at 10.30, American Doors; at 11, Wallsend Coal, Glass, China, Earthenware, Cement.

HARDIE AND GORMAN.—At Bell's-chambers, at 11.30, City and Suburban Properties.

W. TINDALE.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 12, Wood.

W. INGLIS.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at Camperdown Yards, at 2, Horses.

ELLIS AND CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 12, Wood.

DUNN AND LISTER.—At their Rooms, at 10.30, Unredeemed Pledges.

WELLS AND SMITH.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Corn, &c.; at 3, Cedar, Building Materials, &c.

J. S. PROCTER.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 12, Wood.

AT WOOLLER'S BAZAAR.—At 11, Horses, Carts, Buggies.

DENT AND HOSKIN.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 12, Wood.

W. NIXON AND CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 12, Wood.

A. G. COOPER.—At 10, Ivy-street, Darlington, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects, Glassware, &c.

INFIRMARY ITEMS.—The following cases have been treated at the Sydney Infirmary: Alice Hall, 40, for a scalp wound; Thomas Roach, 34, for a cut forehead; John Rees, 32, for injured hand; James Plimister, 22, for a contused wound on forehead; Charles Barrett, 15, fracture of the humerus; and a youth named Connolly, aged about 15, the driver of a milk-cart, for serious injuries to the chest, received through being run over on Sunday forenoon.

SAD CASE OF SUICIDE NEAR HOBART TOWN.—The *Mercury* of the 25th ultimo reports that Miss Reynolds, a native of New Town, but who has been recently an inmate of the Asylum for the insane, New Norfolk, committed suicide at that institution on Sunday morning about 10 o'clock. It appears that she was left alone in her dormitory for a short time, the woman who had charge of her requiring to go elsewhere, and while thus left to herself the unfortunate woman succeeded in fixing to one of the window-bolts a piece of rope she had removed from her bed. She then made a noose, and having ascended the window-ledge, it is surmised that she placed the rope around her neck, and jumped off the ledge. In any case, when her body was found the life had fled, for the rope by which the unfortunate woman was suspended was immediately cut.

FREE SELECTORS' ASSOCIATION AT ALBURY.—The following (says the *Banner*) is a summary of the platform decided upon at the meeting of the Albury selectors on Wednesday, 26th ultimo:—"1. The abolition of the auction sales of country lands. 2. The abolition of the privileges conferred upon Crown lessees under the 2nd, 3rd, 8th, and 31st clauses of the Land Act, of purchasing by virtue of improvements. 3. The recognition of the principle of family selection by permitting a parent in addition to his own selection to select a block of 640 acres extra for every child; residence of the children on the parent's original selection to be sufficient compliance with the residence clause. 4. The reduction of improvements required to 10s. per acre; fencing of the area in a substantial manner to be accepted as equivalent to such outlay. 5. Transfer of selections not to be permitted until after three years from date of selection. 6. The substitution in lieu of the present Court of Inquiry system, of Land Boards to be elected by ballot; no selection to be forfeited until the case has been submitted to such Board; and all reports concerning non-fulfilment of conditions to emanate from the surveyors, instead of the present inspectors. 7. That after the payment of 5s. per acre as deposit, and at the expiration of the three years, annual payments of £1 per acre for fifteen years, without interest, entitle the selector to receive his Crown grant. 8. At the expiration of the three years, and upon the selector having complied with the conditions, a certificate to be issued testifying to such compliance, and relieving the selector from further responsibility connected therewith."

PAINTS, Varnish, Window Glass, Sewing-machines, Twines, Briar Pipes, Fire Exterminators, &c., ex Amana.—Chas. Moore and Co. request us to call the attention of painters, builders, ironmongers, and others, to their auction sale of the above-named goods, at their Rooms, 147, Pitt-street, this day, at 11 o'clock.—ADV.

OUR BRISBANE LETTER.

SEPTEMBER 29.

IN the Legislative Assembly we have our Montagues and Capulets upon the great question of steam navigation and mail services, and the rival houses came in collision this week during the discussion of the Postmaster-General's estimates. The E. and A. Company and the A. S. N. Company have (to be plain) their respective factions, and if the matter were made the subject of a poll I think the balance would not incline much either way. In the older times that are gone the A. S. N. Company undoubtedly trod on the toes of Queensland, and Queensland has not forgotten it. Two or three members who probably had some special reason for remembering, spoke quite bitterly of the tyrranous monopoly once exercised by the A. S. N. Company, and warned the public not to trust them. The debate arose on the question whether or not the E. and A. Company should be presented with another £20,000 a year in return for a ten-knot in lieu of a nine-knot service. Against this, there is a strong party in the House who would put the mail service into the hands of the A. S. N. Company, who, it was stated, have made protestations of what they can, and promises of what they will do. But the E. and A. Company's friends renew their cries of "Beware, they are fooling thee," and sound an alarm to the effect that the A. S. N. Company only desire to get the mail service in order to be cock of the walk, and behave as "such" by raising freight and running boats when and where they choose. Mr. King and two other members occupied neutral territory—were neither Montagues nor Capulets. They objected to the additional subsidy to the E. and A. Company on public grounds. They showed that it would be paying a large amount for the convenience of a few Brisbane merchants and that to nine-tenths of the people of the colony it did not signify an infinitesimal rush whether they receive their letters to-day or to-morrow. But it was plain to see that the House, as a body, was not prepared to vote an enlarged subsidy, though no one could complain that the E. and A. Company had not performed their contracts; many admitted the extreme importance to the colony of the Torres Straits Service; and a few pointed out that the company had a special claim for consideration in consequence of the injury they suffered from recent legislation anent the Chinese. All that could be got from the Colonial Treasurer was the assurance that, if the E. and A. Company did not wish to continue the present contract, there were other firms ready to take it up.

The stir made by New South Wales in the matter of aquatics during the past year has excited some of our boating people to let the world know they are alive. Whether it is that being a little nearer to the tropics than you are we have less energy, or that there is really small taste for the pastime, I will not pretend to say, but as a community we do very little in the way of boating. It is true we have a river only to operate upon, and not a magnificent harbour like that of Sydney; but that is no argument against boating, though it might be accepted as a reason why yachting should be at a discount. But the courage of the few crews that practice on the Brisbane River are being screwed up to the sticking point, and an effort is to be made to put more life than usual into our next annual regatta. This afternoon there is to be a sculling match, and that is such an event in our sober latitudes that it deserves chronicling, though it is a trifling business of only £10 aside. The men are Charles Court, who claims to be a countryman of Trickett's (having been born on the Parramatta River), and Tom Purdy, a sculler who learned his business on the turbid Tyne, in the old country. The course is on the straight reach of the river above the bridge, and there is an interest manifested in the match that almost amounts to excitement. The men are said to be well matched, and there is some betting on the issue.

The Minister for Works instead of resigning, as the gossipmongers said he meant to do, appeared in his place on Tuesday, and with renewed energy piloted his estimates through the quicksands and sunken rocks, until at midnight he found land at last. Then the Colonial Treasurer (the actual head of the department being in the Upper House) got through the Post Office votes and Miscellaneous Estimates. On the whole, therefore, there has been a quiet week's work in Parliament, for on Thursday and Friday morning a considerable amount of private business was in addition got through.

It has been an oft-repeated accusation against the present and preceding Ministries that they have secured support by dangling railways and miscellaneous public works before the constituencies. At any rate the Government, at the beginning of the session, announced as part and parcel of their policy six or seven lines of railway. I stated in your columns at the time that there were private schemes to be urged also, and yesterday one of them was brought before the House. The member for Fortitude Valley asked the House to say that immediate steps ought to be taken to construct a line to Bulimba; and thereupon were thrust forward the rival propositions of a branch line from Oxley to South Brisbane, and an extension to the Queen's Wharf. The Premier neither encouraged nor denounced; thought that the general question would have to be considered perhaps next session, and advised Mr. Beattie to withdraw his resolution. Thereupon Mr. Palmer sarcastically complimented the Premier upon the adroit manner in which he had put off his Ministerial decision to a more convenient opportunity. One thing is very certain; the railway must, before long, be brought to the water's edge; why it was not made to do so at the beginning is a wonder. Meanwhile the land-sharks are prowling around sniffing, prey with either scheme, and not caring which is adopted, so long as they pocket something. Indeed, it was openly stated, in the House yesterday, that the Bulimba scheme had caused the formation of a ring of land speculators, in which were three members of the House. This was interesting, and the House called for names. Mr. O'Sullivan, however, the gentleman from whom the charge emanated, was provokingly silent upon this point. South Brisbane is naturally rampant in favour of the branch from Oxley. They are making a dry dock in South Brisbane, and hope some day to out-do the section of Brisbane beyond the water in importance. South Brisbane, at one time, almost achieved pre-eminence, but missed it in consequence of a rapacious publican driving away the A. S. N. Company's boats by some dispute on a question of mooring. Then came the Brisbane and Ipswich Railway, which the South Brisbanites declare ought never to have been laid down on the other side. The dry dock, which is rapidly approaching completion, is a trump card, of course, and if the inhabitants could put the branch railway to the back of it, they would stand an excellent chance in the game. Chiefly through the suggestion of the Premier, the motion anent the Bulimba railway was withdrawn. If this Bulimba line could be made, after traversing Fortitude Valley, to run by the racecourse, and on to Sandgate, it would, I believe, receive much public support. A railway to Sandgate is a crying want. Personally, I dislike Sandgate; any watering places without a sandy beach is to me a rank imposition. But the fact remains that the public loves Sandgate, its muddy foreshore, its mosquitoes, its single line of houses. It is within a reasonable distance of town, and Tom, Bill, and Harry go there to smoke their Sunday pipes. If prophesying were my vocation, I should hazard a strong conviction that a line to Sandgate will be one of the first schemes after the Government projects are disposed of.

Out of this arises a question which at no far distant future will agitate the mind of the metropolis. If the city increases at its present ratio, in a few years there must be largely increased wharf accommodation. Now and then remarks are spoken or written to familiarise the public with the idea of Government House turned into a Custom House, and the Botanic Gardens converted into wharfs. While the Estimates were before the House the other day, the subject was again broached. The Government was advised to establish a botanic gardens somewhere else than on the present small pocket of land, and to do it at once. Of course, if it has to be done it had better be done at once. Botanic gardens are not to be formed in a day, and public gardens, half laid out and stocked, are next door to a desert. A vote was placed upon the Estimates for £1000 for a drive in the gardens. Such a drive is much wanted. It might be furnished with but little trouble, and would, if it were made to do duty as Lady's Mile and Rotten Row at one and the same time, afford such a means of enjoyment as Brisbane requires. The committee, however, voted against the grant, and the project falls to the ground. The only available space for such a botanic gardens as the city requires is in the Victoria Park—at present a huge waste, little known and still less appreciated.

And the subject again suggests another. It is cheerful to look forward to times when Brisbane will have enlarged its borders to gigantic dimensions, and its river banks resound with the music of mighty industries. It is pleasant to see by the eye of faith ships of every nation crowding at the wharfs, and the citizens reaping a golden harvest from the field of commerce. We drop down at once into the common day when the question obtrudes itself "How are the ships to get to Brisbane?" The Brisbane River, it is useless to deny, is one weak point. The fact must be deplored and admitted. One night last month there were some serious accusations made against the authorities of the port for the charges levied upon vessels coming to Brisbane, and though it was proved that we are not so black as we were painted, we are at a disadvantage compared with other harbours. Patience is necessary. It will be right by-and-bye. I have before me a report of the Engineer for Harbours and Rivers on the dredging of the Brisbane River. Lying somewhere down the stream is a hideous craft named the Groper—a huge, and withal powerful dredge, sent out last year from England by Mr. Macalister. In this—though till now, it is said, there have been several screws loose in connection with the machine—lies our hope. Hitherto, dredging in the river has been done "permiscuous"—here a little and there a little. Henceforth it will be done on a systematic plan; in short, Mr. Nisbet's proposition, carried into effect, will increase the depth of water in the channels from ten feet below low water of ordinary spring tides, admitting vessels of sixteen feet draught during average tides, to fifteen feet below low water of ordinary spring tides, admitting vessels of twenty-one feet draught to come up to Brisbane during best tides, and ordinary steamers and vessels at all times. The report is very able, and necessarily technical. Amongst other statements, I find that the Groper, "when placed in satisfactory working order and supplied with new punts" (strange words these applied to a bran-new dredger brought out from Newcastle at immense cost to the colony), should remove 250,000 cubic yards per annum, at a cost not exceeding 8d. per cubic yard, or £8333 6s. 8d. per annum. Dredging is an expensive business for the Queensland Government. The bill for next year will, for working expenses alone (including however, special moneys, soundings, &c.) be over £30,000.

The Permissive Bill advocates have won a victory in the Legislative Assembly. Mr. M'Lean, who is a leading Good Templar, brought forward a Permissive Liquor Bill early in the session, but through some informality it fell through. On Thursday night he returned to the charge, and the general subject was admirably debated in the House. Members, both *pro* and *con*, applied themselves soberly to the question, which is notable, seeing that, as a matter of history, the most intemperate of all debates are those upon the temperance question (as it used to be called). The "Hansard" of the following morning presented a revised array of small type quotations. One member read "at length" from the *Times'* report of the debate in the House of Commons. Another had diligently hunted up all he could find on the Gothenburg system. Hon. gentlemen, having thus evidently prepared themselves and thought over what they were going to talk about, debated to the point, and it was a very interesting discussion. Mr. Palmer uttered words of wisdom in his denunciations of adulterators of liquor. The abominable poisons sold in the colonies are unhappily proverbial. Mr. Palmer said he would hang offending publicans as murderers, and the hearty manner in which he expressed this opinion rather indicated that he considered even hanging was too good for them. Mr. M'Ilwraith was the strongest supporter of the bill, and his was the initiatory speech on the subject. The majority of the speakers urged the Government to bring in a measure reforming the rotten system under which licenses are at present granted by packed benches of partial magistrates. However, the Permissive Prohibition of Sales of Intoxicating Liquor Bill was read a second time. Half-an-hour later Mr. R. M. Stewart, ex-Colonial Secretary, brought on a kindred measure—the Publicans Act Amendment Bill—but the House was determined not to discuss it, and a count-out was managed.

The weather still continues to be a source of anxiety to the inhabitants of this part of the colony. Here and there rain sufficient has fallen to cause a grateful spring in the grass. In Brisbane we have not been so fortunate. Day after day for months we have watched the masses of clouds rolling up, only to travel mockingly away. Yesterday a thunderstorm burst in the forenoon, and for a quarter of an hour there was a sharp downpour; but to-day the heavens are again cloudless.

DROWNED IN THE CLARENCE RIVER.—On Monday last the *Examiner* reports, the Coroner held an inquest on board the steamer Fiona, on view of the body of Martin M'Keogh, drowned whilst bathing in the river. Maurice Trefusis deposed that about half-past 7 o'clock on Sunday morning, 23rd instant, while bathing in the river, M'Keogh came to witness and said he was going to have a wash; he went a few yards lower down the river and undressed; witness asked him if he could swim; he replied "yes," and threw himself into the river as if going to swim; witness was dressing at the time, and heard deceased striking out as if swimming, but did not look at him as the sun was shining in his face; after deceased had been in the water about four minutes, looked and could only see his hands above water; called out to him, but could get no answer; deceased immediately disappeared under water; heard no struggling or cry for help; when deceased disappeared went into the water as far as he could walk but saw no sign of him; cannot swim, and the water suddenly deepens to almost eight feet; gave the alarm to the men at the mill, and several of the hands came down and dived for him in a few minutes afterwards, but could not find him; the body was afterwards recovered by dragging; had deceased called for assistance ever so slightly, must have heard him; deceased was perfectly sober, and apparently in good health. The jury returned a verdict of accidentally drowned while bathing.

SULEIMAN PASHA.—Suleiman Pasha (says an English journal), is noted for the care he has bestowed upon the intellectual training of his officers. To encourage them in their studies he constantly visited the schools and classes of instruction, and instituted examinations at which he personally attended. Owing to his extreme strictness as an officer, and to the severity often amounting to cruelty, with which he punishes all offences, he is said to be no favourite with his soldiers, and to be actually disliked by his officers, especially by those of the higher ranks. In the late Servian campaign he distinguished himself by the capture of Knjazevac and by his conduct during the fighting in the valley of the Morava; but, although possessed of much knowledge of the art of war, he failed to co-operate with other generals, being, so common report says, exceedingly jealous, and unwilling to assist others in any way to gain distinction. He is described as being in appearance much more like an Englishman or a North German than a Turk, having light blue eyes and a flowing red beard. Tall and well grown, of a figure which betokens great physical strength, he is, unlike, again, the majority of Turkish officers, exceedingly particular in his dress, always appearing in his proper uniform as a field-marshal of the Turkish army, with his breast covered with orders, accompanied whenever possible by a numerous and brilliant staff composed mostly of young officers, and escorted by a troop of cavalry.

DISPROPORTION OF RUSSIAN OFFICERS KILLED.—In reading the Russian telegrams published in the *Times*, (says the *Leader*) we are struck by the immense disproportion of officers to the rank and file in the lists of killed and wounded. In one particular action two officers fell for every seven privates, and in every instance the number of casualties in the regimental leaders is very remarkable. If these figures are to be trusted, it may be inferred that the men faltered and hung back, and that the officers sacrificed themselves in the endeavour to inspirit their laggard followers. At the same time it is hardly safe to place implicit reliance on the Russian narratives. The art of glozing is very successfully cultivated in Russian official circles. For example, after a severe struggle the Turks encamped for the night in the enemy's position. This reverse is ingeniously described for the benefit of Muscovite readers, as a permission accorded to the Turks to come into the Russian lines in search of their dead. But how came there to be dead Turks within the Russian lines? That, of course, is not explained. The loss sustained in each battle after ten or twelve hours of continuous fighting is simply ridiculous, tens doing duty for hundreds and hundreds for thousands. The same thing happened in the Crimean war, when the battle of Inkerman was at first reported as the repulse of a "reconnaissance en force." Dr. Russell, in one of his capital lectures upon the Siege of Sebastopol, amused his audience by describing a caricature that was publicly sold in St. Petersburg after the truth came to be known. St. Peter was depicted on guard at the Gate of Heaven, and in the act of parleying with masses of French, English, and Russian soldiers. Of the first he asks, "Who are you?" and they reply, "We are the French killed at Inkerman." "Well, you may go in, but you will find very few of your countrymen there. And who are you?" he asks of the second batch. "We are the English killed at Inkerman," they answer. "Ah! well, you may pass in if you can, but you will find it a squeeze to get through. And," turning to the third lot, "Who are you pray?" "We are the Russians killed at Inkerman," is the reply. "Lying rascals!" exclaims the saint in a rage, "Do you think I never read the newspapers, and don't know that there were only a few hundreds of you killed? And here are ten thousand of you! Begone!"

PROTECTION IN VICTORIA.

(*From the Times, August 8.*)

IN any discussion of characters or opinions the absent are proverbially at a disadvantage. The authority of Mr. John Bright has been quoted confidently at the Antipodes in favour of a protective policy. Mr. Bright himself is more amused than indignant at the impossible charge. His friends, it appears, have treated the matter more gravely, and he has received letters from various quarters asking him what it can be that he has really meant or said. The controversy arose in this wise:—Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, the well-known member of the Victorian House of Representatives, a freetrader by old conviction, but condemned to pass his life among protectionists, has so far modified his earlier views that he has been approved as Speaker of the most strongly protectionist Assembly the colony has ever seen. This gentleman, and some both of his political friends and political opponents, were present at a dinner given by the Melbourne Chamber of Commerce to Mr. John Young, of Montreal. When dinner was ended, speeches of course began. Mr. John Young, who is an ardent freetrader, improved the opportunity by urging the advantages of a free-trade policy. On this point the company were divided in their views. There were advocates of free trade and advocates of protection among the guests. When the dispute had grown a little warm, more warm perhaps than the occasion called for, Sir Charles Duffy rose and threw the weight of his authority in favour of protection, for Victoria at all events. Not content with this, he went on to describe the influences under which his views had been moulded. Some years ago, when he was in England, and was a freetrader, and was vexed in heart at the prospects before him at home, he had asked advice from three eminent Englishmen, from Mr. John Bright, Mr. John Stuart Mill, and Mr. Thomas Carlyle. The answers he received, though not the same by any means, all pointed to the same practical conclusion. Mr. Bright and Mr. Mill were not wholly adverse to the artificial fostering of manufactures in Victoria; Mr. Carlyle was loudly and decidedly in favour of it. Thus fortified, Sir Charles Duffy returned home, feeling glad that, whatever commercial policy might be adopted, it would not now be necessary for him to sacrifice his career and retire from public life. It was not long before he so far improved on Mr. Bright's advice as to be the originator of a 20 per cent. protective duty on foreign manufactures imported into Victoria, and he believes, in spite of the imperfection of his system, that it has promoted the prosperity of the country. Mr. Bright's memory, as his letter to Mr. T. B. Potter shows, does not confirm what Sir Charles Duffy has stated. Mr. Bright recollects meeting Sir Charles Duffy, but he recollects nothing further. He knows nothing of any advice he ever gave him, and is quite sure that he did not use the words which have been put into his mouth, or anything like them.

It is clear from our Melbourne correspondent's letter that a period of very strict protection has set in for Victoria. The new land tax which has just been imposed is to be employed, not in order to free commerce, but to tie it down more closely than before. Various industries now outside the tariff are to be brought inside it, and to be placed hereafter upon the same footing as the rest. The experiment, if we may so term it, will thus be fairly and fully tried. There are, indeed, to be certain remissions of duty, but only on articles which are in no great demand or in no need of being protected. For all the rest Victoria will supply herself, without assistance from her neighbours or from the outer world beyond. The consequence which must follow it is not hard to divine. Things for a time may go on smoothly. The interests which are to suffer first are in a minority. The large holders who are to be taxed on the capital value of their lands may grumble if they will, but they will have no choice but to submit. There is no appeal for them, just now, to any impartial tribunal, and they may console themselves, if they can, with the thought that they have been so long let alone. Those who escape taxation cannot, as our correspondent observes, easily be made indignant at the fact that they are paying less than their neighbours. Mr. Berry's land tax will be collected, and will no doubt be employed duly for the purpose to which he destines it. Native industries will be fostered. In other words, special interests will be created under a system of protection, and be wholly dependent upon it for their continuance. Manufacturers will thus thrive, and capital which would naturally have been employed elsewhere will be sunk in the various industries into which it will be artificially tempted. But this whole system, it must be remembered, is rendered necessary only because manufactured goods can be produced more cheaply elsewhere than in Victoria. The consumer of the goods will have to pay the difference. Everything within the protected limit will be dearer than outside it, and there will be large classes of men whose prosperity will depend on the maintenance of the oppressive system. People who just now cannot be made indignant that they are not taxed as heavily as their neighbours may become more sensitive when they find their position of immunity less advantageous than they expected. What is saved for them in direct payment to the State will be more than swallowed up under the pressure of increased prices. It will always be uncertain how long this state of things may continue. The adverse interests of the few will be strong and united, and the cry of the consumer, if ever uttered, will not easily obtain a hearing. We know from the example of France and the United States how firmly protection binds men together, and how difficult it is for its opponents to recover the lost ground. A protective tariff, once fairly established, has a strong vitality for mischief. Useless in itself, even to those who come to rely upon it, and who would have done as well without it, yet it cannot, when it has been once started, be abandoned without loss. The hot-house industries which have usurped the place of more hardy growths of another kind can thrive only in the confinement under which they have grown up. The breath of free trade is at once fatal to them, and they will do their utmost to shut it out. The system which Sir Charles Duffy admits to be clumsy and roundabout, and which Mr. Bright, when he speaks for himself, calls by much harder names than these, is nevertheless to have a full trial in Victoria. Our doubt in calling it an experiment is only such as we should feel if we were speaking of an attempt to square the circle or to add two and two together so as to make five.

If Mr. Bright's authority counts for anything with the people of Victoria, and we presume it does from the use which Sir Charles Duffy has been making of it, they would do well to reflect upon the letter in our columns this morning, in which his real views are expressed. A sum of money to support an expensive and important steamboat service, or to defray the first charges of a new culture which may take firm root for itself by and bye, and which is to be left to itself as soon as possible—this is the kind of limit within which he would suffer a Government to do anything to foster industry. Protection in every shape he denounces as unsound and injurious. His prediction of its consequences may perhaps pass unnoticed or unbelieved just now. It will be remembered by-and-by, when the day of its fulfilment seems to be approaching. As for anything Mr. Carlyle may have said, we must leave him to give his own version of it. Sir Charles Duffy's memory is, as we have seen, not infallible, and he may possibly be in error in this case too, and at a distance of time and place which is not favourable to contradiction. Victoria, Mr. John Bright intimates, stands at present at the head of our Australian colonies. Her natural advantages are great. But in wealth and in population New South Wales is making more rapid progress than she is, and is threatening to dispute her leadership. If the so-called experiment of protection is to be tried over again on the other side of the globe, we may welcome the fact that the colony which ventures on it has the full courage of its opinions, and is, moreover, placed side by side with an enterprising neighbour of quite another way of thinking. The trial so made will be conclusive, and in a very few years the issue will be abundantly clear.

A REPENTANT CONVICT.—George Fisher, who broke into the residence of Sir Francis Smith (says the *Hobart Town Mercury*), appears to have at last repented of the wickedness of his life. After his examination at the Police Court on Wednesday last, he sent for detective Simpson, and made a communication to him which that officer considered it his duty to convey to the Sheriff. The gist of this was that Fisher desired to accompany the detective to a spot beyond the Cascades, where he intimated would be found the remaining portion of the property stolen by him from the Chief Justice's house, and also some wearing apparel that he admitted he had abstracted from the residence of Mr. Crosby. Mr. Swan, after some deliberation, consented to allow Fisher to accompany the detective, and accordingly they proceeded in a car, attended by a gaol official to beyond the Cascades, where the services of sergeant Macnamara were called in to prevent any surprise being attempted by the prisoner. After landing from the vehicle, Fisher directed the detective where to proceed, and the instructions being duly attended to by Mr. Simpson, in a short time "the plant" was reached, and every article that Fisher said would be found there was discovered. The property was taken possession of, and the party returned to town, Fisher being safely lodged in the gaol.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

REUTER'S TELEGRAM TO AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS.

THE RUSSO-TURKISH WAR.

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 26.

THE Turks have occupied a natural stronghold on the Roumanian frontier, opposite to Silistria.

It has been ascertained that the Russian and Roumanian troops lost 27,000 men before Plevna.

General Todleben is directing the siege operations at Plevna.

AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS TELEGRAMS.

NEWCASTLE.

MONDAY.

Elizabeth Perry, servant at Captain Pendleton's, has been committed for trial for infanticide.

TERARA.

MONDAY.

His Grace Archbishop Vaughan formally blessed the new church recently erected by the Roman Catholics of this district. After the conclusion of the religious services the collection made nearly cleared off the debt of £400 for which the committee were responsible. In the evening his Grace again preached, after which an address of thankfulness was read to him and suitably acknowledged. The Rev. Father Hayes, Kiama, celebrated the solemn mass.

HAY.

MONDAY.

A large and influential public meeting was held here on Saturday evening. The Mayor, Dr. Gordon occupied the chair. The object of the meeting was to consider what steps should be taken in order to have the electorate of Balranald properly represented on the re-assembling of the House. It was proposed by Mr. F. W. Reed, seconded by Mr. A. P. Stewart, that Colin W. Simson, of Manganaul, is a fit and proper person to be our representative in the Assembly. The motion was carried unanimously with acclamation, and a large committee was appointed to secure his return. The Mayor and several other leading gentlemen were deputed to wait on Mr. Simson and ask him to come forward.

BRISBANE.

MONDAY.

We had a thunderstorm and six hours' good rain to-day.

A fund for the relief of the sufferers by the famine in India has been opened.

ARRIVED.—Governor Blackall (s.), from Sydney.

SAILED.—Edina (s.), Balclutha (s.), for Sydney

MELBOURNE.

MONDAY.

A meeting re Indian famine fund was held to-day in the Town-hall. The Governor was present. Several subscriptions were announced, amounting to £2800. Mr. W. J. Clarke gave £2000 for himself and Mrs. Clarke. There were five donations of £100 each, and several of £50. A general canvass will be made. An influential committee has been appointed.

The Crown law officers have determined to abandon the prosecution against the chief officer of the Duchess of Argyle, and proceed against the captain.

The black who murdered the old man named Arnold is in custody, and has admitted the crime.

Sales have been made of 1000 bales of cornsacks, holders have raised the prices, and ask much higher rates.

A London telegram of September 25 states that the sugar market is expected to advance; that the weather is adverse to the beet-root crop. A Batavia telegram of September 25 states that the market is advancing consequent on Continental telegrams. A Mauritius telegram of 13th September states that only 240 tons are loading for Sydney. The Lady St. Rubys, with 200 tons, has sailed for Adelaide; and the Lass of Lawler is trading with 220 tons; 850 tons are loading for Melbourne; rations to good brown, 6 dollars 50 cents; fine yellow counters, 7 dollars 50 cents; freights 25s.

The weather is fine.

SAILED.—Wotonga (s.), for Sydney.

QUEENSCLIFF.

MONDAY.

ARRIVED.—At 2.30, City of Melbourne (s.), from Sydney.

SAILED.—At 5, Wotonga (s.), for Sydney

ADELAIDE.

MONDAY.

In answer to a telegram: "Famine; how can Australia assist?" forwarded to *Times of India* on the 19th September, the following was received early on Monday morning by the *Australian Star*:—"Subscriptions supplement Government relief urgent; Australian welcome."

Preparations are making for the reception of Sir W. Jervois. The Yacht Club boats will join the procession in the port and river. Salutes will be fired, and the corporations will present addresses.

Six tenders for the Port Augusta railway have been received. The lowest is that of D. M. Barry and Co., for £578,820. The following other tenders were received:—Messrs. Cain, Millar, and Chapman, of Victoria, £657,299 14s. 7d.; Messrs. Perry, Reeve, and Currie, England, £661,397; Messrs. Wishart, Fry, Baily, and Davis, South Australia, £666,517 14s. 6d.; Messrs. Blunt and Co., Sydney, £669,001 11s. 6d.; Messrs. Overend and Robb, Victoria, £673,114 8s. 2d. The successful tenderers will be declared on Wednesday.

Five designs for the new Government offices, to cost £50,000, have been received.

Wheat is quiet at 6s. 4d. to 6s. 5d.

THE INDIAN FAMINE.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says two or three telegrams from the Viceroy of India respecting the famine have been published. In his latest despatch, which is dated the 6th August, Lord Lytton states that the prospects of the season have generally improved in Madras; but the distress is still severe. In Mysore pretty general showers have done some good, but the prospects have not materially improved. In Bombay Sir Richard Temple telegraphs that fair rain in the eastern districts has saved much of the young crops, but along the western border the famine area is larger. There have been slight showers in Goojerat and Kattiwar, but the anxiety regarding those parts still remains. In the North-west provinces rain has begun to fall in many districts and anxiety is much relieved. There has also been some rain in the Punjaub, but more is wanted; the condition of crops is fair. The numbers relieved were:—In Madras, 957,000 on works, and 839,000 charitably; in Mysore, 48,000 on works, and 151,000 charitably; in Bombay, 248,000 on works, and 149,000 charitably. The *Times* correspondent mentions, for the information of the Lord Mayors of London, York, and Dublin, the Mayors of Birmingham, Bristol, Liverpool, and Manchester, and the Lord Provosts of Edinburgh and Glasgow, that at a public meeting held in Madras, the Governor presiding, it was resolved to appeal to the British public for aid to the population of Southern India. The distress, the correspondent says, is now reaching the better classes, owing to the increased price of grain.

THE PROSECUTION OF THE DETECTIVES.—The *Morning Post* understands that, whatever may be the result of the criminal proceedings now being instituted against three inspectors of police for alleged complicity in fraud, the Government has determined to cause a searching inquiry to be made into the working of the detective branch of the service, with a view to the appointment in future of a superior class of persons to positions of authority and responsibility.

THERE are many forms of iniquity, but not one more reprehensible than wilfully endangering the public health. This is precisely what is done by the human sharks who import or concoct poisonous beverages which they pretend are equal to the leading medicinal cordial of Australia, Udolpho Wolfe's Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps. Accept none but the original, since all imitations are injurious.—ADV.

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MERCANTILE AND MONEY ARTICLE.

MONDAY EVENING.

THE Customs' duties received to-day were as follows :—

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	5613	17	7
Wine (still)	90	12	0
—— (sparkling)	3	0	0
Ale, porter, and beer (in bottle) ...	28	10	6
Tobacco and snuff	80	12	0
—— (unmanufactured ...	187	3	0
Cigars	94	18	6
Tea	276	2	0
Sugar (unrefined)	798	15	0
Opium	28	12	6
Dried fruits	382	9	6
Nuts	9	6	8
Malt	100	8	0
Hops	1	0	9
Specific duty	832	13	2
Bonding warehouse duty ...	146	5	0
Pilotage	2	9	0
Harbour and light dues ...	4	1	8
Total	£4870	5	4

The P. and O. steamer Avoca has taken 131,000 sovereigns 377 oz. gold, and £4537 in silver coin.

Business in the Stock and Share market was rather inactive to-day. Bank shares exhibited very little change in prices. City offered at 9½; Commercial wanted at 94. Sellers of Joint Stock at 13⅛. New South Wales had buyers at 52, sellers at 52½. National of Queensland were done at 6¼, and held for 2s. 6d. higher. New Zealand sold at 21¾, and were offered. Australasia had a seller at 81. Insurance shares very firm; local companies lose a mere trifle by the fire at Townsville. General were taken at 48s. Steam shares inquired for; Australasian not offered below 18¾; Clarence and Richmond non-preferential wanted at 6¼, held for 7; Hunter River had buyers at 7. Gaslight, fully paid, were dealt in at 16; new issue, £5 paid, inquired for at 14½; Shale Oil, quiet at 15s. 6d. buyers, 16s. sellers. Coal shares maintain their price. Bulli held for 14, Wallsend for 18, and Waratah for 10¼.

Country orders coming to hand more freely confirm the impressions that a revival of trade in the Import markets is approaching. There are very few cargoes due from England, and if a demand for goods springs up now it will tend to relieve importers of their surplus stocks. There is no change to report in breadstuffs. The millers are working off the balance of last season's crop, and buying wheat very sparingly at 7s. for best Adelaide. In Melbourne wheat is quoted at 6s. 6d., flour at £14, while Adelaide flour sells here at from £16 10s. to £18, and Victorian flour is held at £15 10s. to £16. There has been a speculative inquiry for cornsacks, with sales at up to 10s., and 10s. 3d. asked. The stock on hand is small, and as the Melbourne market is firmly held by the principal dealers in Dundee goods a further advance is looked for. There is an improving tendency in currants, some recently arrived parcels of new fruit are held for 5⅝d. In sugars we note the arrival of two vessels from Port Mackay, with cargoes of Queensland-made, which can hardly fail to weaken the value from of counter sorts. The Vicuna's cargo Mauritius will be in the market this week. Recent sales of new teas have fully supplied the trade at lower prices compared with cost than have ruled for some years. There is nothing fresh to notice in liquors; only small trade lots are being dealt in at late quotations. Mr. Threlkeld will hold a sale of American doors, cement, &c., to-morrow.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench sold by auction to-day, on behalf of the Government, unstocked runs, as follows :—Albert District : Umberumberka, 28,000 acres, at a yearly rental of £44 and £500 premium—Messrs. Hart and Horn. Clarence District : Murwillimbah, 16,000 acres, at a rental of £25 per annum and £10 premium ; Tomarah, 14,000 acres, £22 rental per annum.

In the local produce market there was a good demand for maize, with sales at 3s. to 3s. 2d. Oaten hay firm at £3 5s. to £5 10s. ; lucerne, £2 10s. to £3. Cheese, 7d. to 8d. ; bacon, 6d. to 8d. Circular Head potatoes, £3 10s. to £4.

From the Melbourne *Argus* of Saturday we take the following commercial intelligence :—

In the Import market business to-day has not been characterised by increased activity. The tea sale, which was of considerable importance, excited some interest, and attracted a large attendance of the trade, but transactions otherwise have been somewhat restricted. Breadstuffs are still depressed and neglected, scarcely an inquiry being allowed to come under our notice. We continue to quote £14 to £14 2s 6d for flour, but no sales beyond actual requirements can be reported. Wheat has a quotation of 6s 6d ; we do not hear of any fresh business. Oats are quiet ; values range from 3s 10d to 4s 2d, but special sales are not reported, an ordinary trade demand alone being experienced. Maize is moving at 3s 11d. The feature of the day was the auction sale of the entire cargo of tea by the Anna, comprising 16,175 packages, which was submitted to public competition this afternoon, when the auctioneers succeeded in clearing off 12,777 packages, at prices ranging from 6d to 1s 2¼d, figures which, we understand, fairly represent market values. Privately, a line of halves medium congous, ex Killarney, has been placed at a full price. Sugars are in very considerable request. 600 bags Mauritius whites have been sold at 35s, to 36s, according to quality ; quotations which show an advance on late auction rates. Of rations, the market has never been so bare. There is a very brisk demand, and the arrival of the Glaslyn in the bay is looked forward to with some impatience, in the hope that she may have brought forward a shipment of qualities now so much in request. Cornsacks continue to attract notice, but the stiffness of holders, and their evident preference to sell only small rather than large lines, even at the extreme rates buyers are willing to give, check business. One or two 50-bale parcels have been sold at 10s, but numerous offers of this rate for much larger quantities have been refused, and the market has a strong upward tendency. Tinned fish is still run after. Of sardines sales have been made at 8s 3d for halves and 5s 3d for quarters. 1-lb. fresh herrings have been sold as high as 7s 9d. A short time ago we referred to business pending in castor oil. We now learn that the stock held has gone entirely into the hands of the trade, about 2000 cases having been moved off, and an advance on our late trade quotations of 4s 9d to 4s 10d, duty paid, is now wanted. Tinplates are a shade stiffer in value, and though sales of IC coke plates were made at 21s 6d yesterday ; 22s is now wanted. In liquids we notice a considerable inquiry for whisky, and several lines have been taken up at a decided improvement on business reported a week ago. Dunville's agents advise having sold for another colony 100 quarters and 1000 cases of this well-known brand. Sales of red wine have been made at £14.

MELBOURNE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

[KING AND CUNNINGHAM.]

FAT Cattle.—633 only yarded, which number was short of requirements, and consequently prices advanced fully 15s per head. There was only one lot from Queensland ; the balance comprised small drafts from Colac and Gipps Land. We quote best pens bullocks, £14 to £15 ; good, £11 to £12 ; medium, £9 to £10. Our sales were—34 bullocks for Mr. William Montgomery, Clydebank, to £12 10s, average £11 3s 4d ; 25 ditto for Mr. Macalister, Sale, to £10 2s 6d ; 50 ditto for Mr. P. G. King, Boisdale, to £11 15s average, £11 8s 2d.

Fat Calves.—Eighty in, the best of which sold at advanced rates ; medium qualities about the same as last week. Our quotations are—Prime vealers, 50s to 60s ; good, 30s to 40s ; medium, 20s to 25s. Our sales were 32 for Messrs. Smith, M'Donald, and others.

Fat Sheep.—The supply to-day comprised 24,150, consisting almost entirely of merino sheep of from middling to good quality, including one lot of shorn wethers from the Edwards, Riverina, which sold up to 8s. The number of good sheep was larger than usual, but the demand was active, and prices ruled nearly equal to last week's increased rates. We quote—Prime merino wether, 15s to 16s ; good ditto, 13s to 14s ; middling, 10s to 12s ; prime merino ewes, 12s to 14s ; good, 9s to 11s ; others in proportion. We sold—1603 wethers, for Messrs. Shearer and Cohen, Gerara Springs station, Warrego River, New South Wales ; well-travelled sheep.

Fat Lambs.—The number in was 3403, nearly all this season's, the quality being hardly up to the average. The demand was very good, beef being scarce, and all were sold at satisfactory prices, say—Prime, 8s to 10s 6d ; good, 7s to 8s ; middling, 6s to 7s.

Store Stock.—There is a good demand for breeding ewes and wethers in Riverina since the rainfall, and we could place a large number of ewes at good prices. We will be glad to receive particulars of any our friends may have for sale. The demand for cattle has also improved.

Note.—Through our representations, the City Council of Melbourne have abolished the charge in addition to dues, formerly made for the convenience of the market yards for drafting stock, after the 14th October, which will be a considerable saving to owners.

Note.—We beg to invite the particular attention of our friends and constituents to a new regulation of the Victorian Railway Department, which enacts that all trucks ordered, whether used or not, must be paid for at full rates ; and we would therefore recommend our constituents to be most careful in their advices of stock coming forward.—September 26.

[J. C. WALKER AND CO.]

Fat Cattle.—The small number of 633 cattle formed the week's supply—one lot from the north, the remainder Victorian. Prices did not advance nearly so much as was anticipated, the trade providing themselves largely with lambs to make up somewhat for the short supply of cattle. Prices, on the whole, advanced 10s to 15s. Quotations—Best bullocks, £14 10s to £16 10s ; good ditto, £11 10s to £12 10s ; medium ditto, £9 10s to £10 ; inferior ditto, £7 10s to £8 10s ; best cows, £11 10s to £12 ; good ditto, £9 10s to £10 10s ; others, £7 10s to £8 5s. The following are some of the principal averages :—FF bullocks, £14 4s ; Peppin's ditto, from the north, £12 9s ; ditto cows, £8 16s.

Fat Calves.—80 forward, which made fully last week's rates. Best made 55s to 65s ; good, 45s to 50s ; others, 30s to 35s.

Fat Sheep.—24,159 penned up to-day, amongst which were the first draft of clipped sheep this season, the quality all through being fair to good—some prime. The late rains caused graziers to operate freely, and the advance in price of last week was maintained. Very few crossbreds in. Quotations—Best crossbred wethers, 19s to 21s ; medium, 15s to 15s 6d ; best merino wethers, 15s to 15s 6d (a few to 16s 3d) ; good, 13s to 14s ; medium, 10s 6d to 11s 6d ; the flock of shorn wethers (merino) made 8s. We sold 402 merinos for Mr. W. Moffatt, Burnewang Park, 14s ; also 2012 from the Loddon, at 13s ; also, 328 from Echuca, at full rates ; total sales by us, 2642.

Fat Lambs.—3403 forward, chiefly good quality ; the short supply of cattle caused the trade to purchase lambs very freely, and though the very high rates of last week were not maintained, prices were most satisfactory. Quotations—Best lambs, 9s 6d to 10s ; good, 8s 6d to 9s ; medium, 6s 6d to 7s 9d ; everything being early cleared. We sold—295 for Mr. A. Bolger, 200 for Mr. A. Wilson, 150 for Mr. T. H. Griffith, 78 for Mr. J. W. Ellis, 11 for Mr. J. F. Manning ; total sales, 734, at full prices.

WEATHER MAP,

1 OCT., 1877.—9 A.M.

COMPILED FROM TELEGRAMS,
BY H. C. RUSSELL,
GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

Stations.	W'ther.	Max.	Min.	Rain.
Tenterfi'ld	b	75	39	0
Grafton ..	b	92	41	0
Inverell ..	b	74	40	0
Bourke ..	b	76	51	0
Narrabri ..	g	83	52	0
Armidale ..	b	66	41	0
Gunnedah	..	..	..	..
Tamworth	b	81	40	0
P. Macq'rie	b	67	49	0
Murr'undi	b	73	46	0
Cassilis ..	b	74	44	0
Mus'brook	b	81	42	0
Dubbo ..	c	69	43	0
Mudgee ..	g	76	42	0
Maitland ..	b	75	49	0·13
Newcastle	b	81	62	0
Orange ..	c	60	53	0
Bathurst ..	g	72	34	0
Mt Victoria	b	62	37	0
Forbes ..	..	..	..	..
SYDNEY ..	b	74	53	0
Wentw'th.	b	64	40	0
Young ..	u	73	0	0
Woll'gong	o	64	59	0
Moss Vale	b	62	43	0
Euston ..	c	75	56	0
Goulburn	u	73	41	0
Wagga ..	b	76	45	0
Cape Geo.	b	67	52	0
Queanb'an	b	71	39	0
Deniliquin	g	71	46	0
Albury ..	..	..	..	..
Bodalla ..	p	74	38	0·60
Cooma ..	c	62	33	0·05
Eden	c	68	50	0·40
Gabo Isld.	c	60	54	0



South Australia : Winds S.W. to S., squally, barometer rising ; interior, wind S.E., fine. Rain at Adelaide 0·12. Victoria : Showery on the coast, barometer rising, wind fresh S.W. to W. ; rough sea at Cape Otway. Rain at Melbourne, 0·27 ; Cape Otway, 0·51 ; Wilson's Promontory, 0·45 ; Portland, 0·08. New South Wales : Fine, calm, generally inland ; Cape St. George and Eden, gale from W. and S.W. Barometer falling on the coast 0·20 to 0·30. Queensland : Fine. 3 p.m. Observations : Victoria, S.W. gale, increasing on the coast, with rain and squally weather ; rough sea at all the coast stations. New South Wales : Wentworth, S.W., cloudy ; Deniliquin, S., fine ; Sydney, fine, barometer rising slowly ; Newcastle, E.S.E., fresh ; Port Macquarie, S.E., fine. All report smooth sea.—October 1.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR OCTOBER 1.—Sun rises at 5.38, sets at 6.2 ; Moon rises at 2.34 a.m., sets at 12.24 p.m. Mercury rises at 5.7 a.m., sets at 5.9 a.m. ; Venus, 7.26 a.m., 9 p.m. ; Mars, 3.29 p.m., 4.36 a.m. ; Jupiter, 9.56 a.m., 12.10 a.m. ; Saturn, 4.4 p.m., 4.4 a.m. ; new moon, 7th ; full moon, 22nd. High water at Fort Denison : 2.53 a.m., 3.25 p.m.

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112 prime fat cattle, in lots, balance of those sold on Monday.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from G. W. and J. Dight to sell by auction, on THURSDAY next, 4th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
111 prime fat cattle, in lots, balance of those sold on Monday.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK have received instructions from F. Y. Wollesly, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 4th instant,
220 prime and weighty bullocks, from Euroka.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from F. Campbell, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, on THURSDAY next, the 4th instant, at 11 o'clock,
100 head of really prime and weighty fat cattle, in lots, from his Bundambariena station ; balance of those sold on Monday last.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from Messrs. R. N. and F. King to sell by auction, at Homebush, on THURSDAY, the 4th October, at 11 o'clock,
200 head of prime and weighty fat cattle, from the famous Bullaroo station.
Terms, cash.

Fat Lambs. Fat Lambs. Fat Lambs.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from J. H. Stewart, Esq., The Mount, Bathurst, to sell by auction, at his Sale Yards, 793, George-street, on THURSDAY, October 4, at 12 o'clock,
120 exceedingly prime fat lambs.

WILLIAM INGLIS will sell by auction THIS DAY at Darling Harbour, at 9 o'clock,
Hay and straw by the truck ; maize, potatoes, &c.

ELLIS and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Darling Harbour, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, straw, lucerne, maize, potatoes, &c.
At 12 o'clock, Wood.

W. TINDALE will sell, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock, Hay, &c. ; at 12, wood, &c.

To Potato Dealers, Cowkeepers, and others.
466 Bags Warrnambool Potatoes.

G. W. TATE will sell by auction, on the Victoria (Clarke's) Wharf, on WEDNESDAY next, at 10.30 sharp,
The above, in lots to suit purchasers. No reserve.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, corn
Turnips.

Lumber, Window Sashes, Scantling
Cedar, Building Materials.
THIS DAY, 3 o'clock,
Harris-street, Ultimo, next to Everet and Son's hay and corn store.

WELLS and SMITH have received instructions to sell by auction,
The above, in lots.
Terms, cash.

Lucerne Hay. Lucerne Hay.
TO-MORROW, 11 o'clock,
N. H. R. S. N. Company's Wharf.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, 300 bales prime hay, now landing.

J. S. PROCTER will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Darling Harbour Station, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, straw, lucerne, potatoes, swedes, &c.
At 12 o'clock, post stocks, billet wood, &c.

J. S. PROCTER will sell by auction, at the Sydney Auction Mart, 701, George-street, on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd instant,
at 12 o'clock,
Teas, sugars, groceries, oilmen's stores, confectionery
Limejuice, vinegar, blacking, seidlitz powders
Fancy goods, toys, hardware, tools, nails
Office fittings, household furniture, and sundries.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, straw, maize, turnips, &c.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Billet wood, &c.

WILLIAM NIXON and CO., will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9,
Hay, straw, potatoes, by the truck.
At 12 o'clock, Wood.

THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 o'clock, on the Premises, No. 10, Ivy-street, Darlington, off Shepherd-street.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, comprising LARGE CHEST OF DRAWERS, H. H. Couches, Dining Tables, Chairs, Safes, Carpets, Oilcloth, Ornaments, Engravings, Bedsteads, H. H. Mattresses, China, Crockery, Glassware, Washstands, Glass, Kitchen Utensils, and Sundries.

A. G. COOPER has been instructed to sell by public auction, on the premises, The above, by order of the proprietor in consequence of leaving the colony.
Terms, cash.

COWPER WHARF HOTEL, FORBES-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO BAY.
Under Bill of Sale.
WEDNESDAY, 3rd October, at 11 o'clock.
License and Goodwill
Stock-in-trade
Bar Utensils
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, 3rd October, at 11 o'clock, at the above hotel.
Without reserve.

THURSDAY, 4th October, at 11 o'clock.
In the Insolvent Estate of Lawrence Levy.

VALUABLE JEWELLERY.
Valuable DIAMOND Suite
Diamond Rings, half-hoop, cluster and single stones
8 Gold Lever Hunting Watches, by Stevens, and Hunt and Roskell
Gold Geneva Watches
Open-face Gold Lever Watches, by Ehrhardt
Silver Lever Watches
Gold Lockets
Gold Albert Chains, ladies' and gentlemen's
Gold Brooches, Earrings, Suites, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from A. Sandeman, Esq., official assignee, to sell by auction, on THURSDAY, 4th October, at 11 o'clock, at his newly erected Rooms, 152, King-street East,
The above, without reserve.
Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 o'clock.
Insolvent Estate of Henry Taylor, Frederick Waddoups, and Thomas A. Henderson.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Under Bill of Sale.
Pianofortes
Tables, Chairs, Couches, Sideboard, Chiffonier
Lamps, Pier Glasses, Pictures, Glass Cases, Birds
Wax Fruits and Shades, Workbox, Books
Single and Double Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Chest Drawers, Pulu Mattresses, Matting, Oilcloth
Bedroom Furniture
Kitchen Utensils
Sewing-machines, Guns, Sword and Belt, Fuse
Office Tables, Stationery.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, at his newly-erected Rooms, 152, King-street East,
Without reserve.

Unredeemed Pledges.

DUNN and LISTER will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at half-past 10 o'clock,
The unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. L. Samuels, of Lower George-street, consisting of clothing, &c.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

On an early day in OCTOBER,
At LYNDHURST COLLEGE, Glebe,
HIGHLY IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE OF THE WHOLE OF THE ELEGANT AND SUBSTANTIAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects.
COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, by Aucher
Ditto ditto, by Bord
Ditto ditto, by Holderness
75 IRON BEDSTEADS, Palliasses, Hair Mattresses, and Bed Linen
School Forms, Desks
Kitchen Utensils
MILCH COWS, CART, HARNESS, &c.

To Parties Furnishing, Furniture Dealers, and others.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, on an early day in October, at Lyndhurst College,
The whole of the furniture and effects.
Particulars in future advertisement.

IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED SALE of DRAPERY, CLOTHING, MANCHESTER GOODS, WOOLLENS, HOSIERY, SILKS, RIBBONS, MILLINERY, STAYS, UNDERCLOTHING, and the ordinary Stock of a General DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF W. L. SHEARD.

On the premises, 578, George-street.

THIS DAY (Tuesday) and TO-MORROW (Wednesday), 2nd and 3rd October.

MR. CHARLES TEAKLE has been instructed by the trustees in the above assigned estate to sell by auction, on the premises, THIS DAY and TO-MORROW, commencing at half-past 10 o'clock prompt,
The entire and well selected stock in the above estate, comprising—
GENERAL DRAPERY
Manchester goods in variety
Men's, youths', and boys' ready-made CLOTHING
¾ and 6-4 woollens, cotton tweeds
Men's, women's, maids', and children's HOSIERY
Dress STUFFS, STAYS, &c.
Also,
COUNTERS and FIXTURES
Pier-glass
Chests of drawers
Shop chairs, steps, stands
Gas and window fittings
Show boxes, bars, lamps, &c.
N.B.—The fixtures, pier glasses, &c., &c., will be offered on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd, at 12 o'clock prompt, in one lot ; and if no reasonable offer is made, the same will be sold in portions.
Terms, cash.

THIS DAY, 2nd OCTOBER, 11 a.m.
Unreserved Clearing Sale prior to removal,
at the Warehouse of
Messrs. SAMUEL and WOOD, 141, Pitt-street.
The Whole of the Well-assorted and Magnificent Stock of Household Furniture, Platedware, China ware, Pier Glasses, and Articles of Virtu, &c., &c., viz. :—
Handsome Sideboards, in mahogany, glass backs
Massive Dining-room Suite, in horsehair and morocco
Elegant Drawing-room Suites, in walnut, richly upholstered
Handsome Wardrobes, in mahogany, plate-glass fronts
Elegant Chiffoniers, inlaid and plain, plate-glass backs
Toilet Tables and Stands, in mahogany, walnut, and birch
Handsome Corner Whatnots, Music and specimen Cabinets
Loo Tables, in walnut, inlaid and plain
Gipsy, Kidney, Chess Top, Coffee, and occasional fancy Tables of all descriptions
Elegant Cabinets, in ebony ; Chiffonier Whatnots, in walnut
Massive Mahogany Bookcases, Butlers' Trays and Stands
Office Tables and Chairs, Cornice Poles
Handsome Pier Glasses, Toilet Glasses
Dining-room Tables, patent screw and telescope
Chairs, occasional, folding, bedroom, and every other description
Music Stools, patent screws
Pianofortes by the best makers
Half-circle Washstands and Toilets
Hall Tables, Hat Stands, and Chairs
Handsome Iron Bedsteads, 4-post and half-tester
Round and Square Picnic Baskets and Cane Lounges
Elegant Grecian, Dresden hand-painted, and Japanese Vases
Bronzes, very massive and choice
Handsome Tea Sets, Dinner Services, and Glassware
Electroplated Ware, very choice, of every description
Splendid Collection of Pictures, &c., &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from Messrs. SAMUEL and WOOD (in consequence of their immediate removal) to sell by auction, without reserve, at their Warehouse, 141, Pitt-street, opposite the Union Bank, THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m., sharp,
The whole of their magnificent stock-in-trade, of which a few lines are enumerated as above.
In calling attention to the above bona-fide clearing sale, the Auctioneers invite the punctual attendance of buyers, as the lots to be disposed of are very numerous, and will be sold without the slightest reserve. The trade, dealers, and private buyers are requested to make an early inspection, as the goods are now on view, and should not lose the opportunity of replenishing their stocks.
Terms at sale.

THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.,
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
NEW CONSIGNMENT OF 19 BALES of ELEGANT PAPERHANGINGS, good qualities and well-assorted.

Bale No.		Bale No.	
1—320	pieces	12—311	pieces
2—315	,,	13—317	,,
4—323	,,	14—316	,,
5—323	,,	15—290	,,
6—331	,,	16—337	,,
7—306	,,	17—324	,,
8—315	,,	18—302	,,
9—312	,,	20—325	,,
10—355	,,	21—300	,,
11—350	,,		

TO PAPERHANGERS, OIL AND COLOUR MEN.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed by the consignees to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.,
19 bales elegant PAPERHANGINGS.

THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
20 Cases 4-post IRON BEDSTEADS, 6½ feet x 4½ feet, head and foot rail, and double curtain rods.

TO IRONMONGERS AND FURNISHING WAREHOUSEMEN.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed by the importers to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.,
20 cases iron bedsteads.

THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
NEW SHIPMENT, ex Countess of Anglesea.
BURGLAR AND FIRE-PROOF SAFES
3 ditto double door and drawers, 27 inches
2 ditto ditto ditto, 30 inches
1 ditto ditto ditto, 33 inches
2 ditto ditto ditto, 36 inches
3 ditto single, 24 inches
2 ditto single, 27 inches
1 ditto ditto, 30 inches.

To PROFESSIONAL GENTLEMEN, BANKERS, and CUSTODIANS of SECURITIES.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed to sell by auction, THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.,
14 HIGHLY-FINISHED BURGLAR and FIRE-PROOF SAFES.
Terms cash.

TUESDAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
NEW CONSIGNMENT of 19 BALES of ELEGANT PAPERHANGINGS. Good qualities and well-assorted patterns.

TO PAPERHANGERS and OIL and COLOUR MEN.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have been instructed by the consignees to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, THIS DAY, 2nd October, at 11 a.m.,
19 bales ELEGANT PAPERHANGINGS.

On WEDNESDAY next, at 11 a.m.
UNEXPIRED TERM of LEASE, LICENSE, and GOODWILL of HOWE'S FAMILY HOTEL, 82, Cooper-street, off Riley-street, Surry Hills ; and the whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, HOWE'S FAMILY HOTEL, 82, Cooper-street, Surry Hills, on WEDNESDAY next, at 11 a.m.
The LEASE, LICENSE, and HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Preliminary Notice.
UNRESERVED SALE
at ST. GEORGE'S-TERRACE, PITT-STREET South, near Christ Church,
on
THURSDAY, 4th October, at 11 a.m.,
of
the whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, FIRST-CLASS PIANOFORTE, &c.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at St. George's-terrace, Pitt-street South, near Christ Church, on THURSDAY, 4th October, at 11 a.m.,
The above.
Full particulars will duly appear.

IMPORTANT SALE
of about
FIFTEEN THOUSAND GALLONS
of
COLONIAL-MADE WINES,
in bulk,
the Vintages of 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876.

These WINES are the produce of Dr. M'Kay's NOTED VINEYARD, MINCHINBURY, near ROOTY HILL, and comprise—
VINTAGE, 1873, Reisling
Ditto, 1874, Pineau
Ditto, ditto, Reisling
Ditto, ditto, Shiraz
Ditto, ditto, Lambruscat
Ditto, 1875, Reisling
Ditto, ditto, Madeira
Ditto, ditto, Shiraz
Ditto, ditto, Lambruscat
Ditto, 1876, Reisling
Ditto, ditto, Lambruscat
Ditto, ditto, Hermitage
Ditto, ditto, Shiraz
Ditto, ditto, Colonial Port
Ditto, ditto, Madeira
Ditto, ditto, Burgundy
Ditto, ditto, Pineau.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Dr. M'Kay to sell by auction, at Vineyard, Minchinbury, near Rooty Hill, on an early day,
The above.
Terms at sale.

VARNISH
PAINTS
WINDOW GLASS
SEWING MACHINES
SHOP TWINES
BRIAR PIPES
FIRE EXTERMINATORS, &c.

By order of the Consignors. For Positive Sale.

THIS DAY, Tuesday, 2nd October, at 11 o'clock.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11,
Ex Amana,
F & R,
7115— 25 gross assorted briar pipes.
N & P in diamond,
1— 10 Byron hand-lock-stitch sewing machines
2-5— 4 cases same.
W in diamond over D & F,
10810— 25 dozen fine twine, in 8-oz. balls
10811-12— 2 cases same.
9-10— 19 new patent chemical fire exterminators.
The above are on an improved principle, and recent experiments have proved their efficiency.
DL CO.,
280 boxes window glass, each 100 feet—
50 80 50 25 20 20 10
10 x 8, 12 x 10, 14 x 10, 14 x 12, 16 x 14, 18 x 12, 18 x 16
10 10 5
20 x 16, 22 x 18, 24 x 20.
W in diamond,
6— 20 kegs umber paint, each 56 lbs.
9-11— 68 ditto black ditto
14— 10 ditto blue ditto
20— 25 ditto white lead
21— 24 ditto ditto
22— 17 ditto black paint
23-4— 2 casks same
29— 10 kegs yellow paint
30— 24 ditto green ditto
31— 10 ditto blue ditto
32— 20 ditto red ditto
33— 20 ditto brown ditto
PJ over Sydney,
1-47— 47 kegs genuine dry white lead, in 1-cwt iron kegs.
Also on account of whom it may concern,
at quarter-past 12,
35-40—138 tins copal varnish, each 1 gallon, with all faults
— 12 ditto ditto, ullaged, ditto.
Terms at sale.

Preliminary Notice.

To Warehousemen, Drapers, Storekeepers, Clothiers, and others.

MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING, MANCHESTER and AMERICAN COTTONS
WOOLLENS, LINEN GOODS, HATS, &c., &c.
Now landing ex Carlisle and John Duthie.

For unreserved Sale, by order of the Consignees, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 4th and 5th October, at 11 o'clock each day.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next,
76 packages of the above-named goods.
Also,
BALANCE of the BANKRUPT STOCK of DRAPERY remaining unsold from last sale.
Particulars on Wednesday.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Unreserved Sale, by order of the Consignors.

SUPERB ENGLISH-MADE FURNITURE
HANDSOME CHIMNEY and PIER GLASSES
FRAMEWORK and UPHOLSTERY,
landed ex John Duthie.

On TUESDAY next, 9th instant, at 11 o'clock.

To Furniture Dealers, Private Buyers, and others.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, on TUESDAY next, 9th instant, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street,
64 packages of furniture, &c., selected specially to suit the requirements of the Sydney trade.
Further particulars in future issues.

500 TONS WALLSEND COAL,
ex Gilroy,
FOR PEREMPTORY SALE,
THIS DAY, October 2,
at the City Mart, 362, George-street, at 11 o'clock sharp.

Highly Important to Steam Companies, Shippers, Coal Merchants, and Gas Companies.

L. E. THRELKELD has received instructions from Messrs. Bright, Brothers, and Co., to sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, October 2, at 11 o'clock,
500 tons Wallsend coal, ex Gilroy, returned to port, and now sold owing to the ship being placed on the London berth.
Buyers will be required to take the coals out of the hold of the ship, and from places indicated by Captain Leslie or his officers on board, so as to keep the ship in proper trim.
Terms, cash.

COLONIAL PINE.
T. and G. Flooring
Rough Battens.
The cargo of the LUCY RAVELL, from Wardell.
By order of the Agents of the Commercial Saw Mills.
THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock sharp, at the CITY MART,
10,000 feet T. and G. flooring
8,000 feet battens.
Terms at sale.
Bulk may be inspected at Fagan's Wharf.

AUCTION SALES.

AMERICAN DOORS.

Just arrived, ex steamer CITY OF NEW YORK.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

On account of Messrs. BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO.

THIS DAY, October 2nd, at the Rooms, at half-past 10 o'clock sharp.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction at the Rooms, THIS DAY, at half-past 10 o'clock,
Ex mail steamer City of New York,
The above shipment, consisting of about 700, all sizes.
Also, 20 American spruce ladders.
NOTE—The trade are invited to be in early attendance, as every line SUBMITTED WILL BE SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE.

214 doors, 2.6, 6.6, 1¼, RP
91 ditto, ditto, 1¼, ditto
90 ditto, 2.8, 6.8, 1¼, ditto
156 ditto, ditto, 1¼, DM
115 ditto, 2.6, 6.6, 1½ ditto
94 ditto, 2.7, 6.8, 1½ ditto
175 ditto, ditto, 1½ ditto
498 ditto, 2.6, 6.6, 1½ ditto
40 ditto 2.8, 6.8, 1½ ditto
56 ditto, ditto, 1½ ditto
374 ditto, ditto, 1½ ditto
125 ditto, 2.10, 6.10, 1½ ditto
244 ditto, ditto, 1½
49 ditto, 2.10, 6.10, 1½
93 ditto, ditto, 1½
136 ditto, 7 x 3, 1½
90 ditto, 2.10, 6.10, 2 inch
10 slab doors, 2.6, 6.6, 1½
10 ditto ditto, 2.6, 6.6, 1½
10 ditto ditto, 2.8, 6.8, 1½
10 ditto ditto, ditto, 1½.

Full particulars at sale.
Terms at sale.

GLASS, CHINA and EARTHENWARE. 180 PACKAGES.

THIS DAY, October 2, at the City Mart.

Under instructions from Messrs. Mason, Brothers.

Highly Important to the Earthenware Trade of Sydney and Colony.

Every Package will be sold.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, as above, at 11 o'clock,
180 original packages glass, china, and earthenware, specially imported for Christmas trade, consisting of
EARTHENWARE—Printed, lined, and granite cups and saucers; cable, lined, and granite plates, dishes, and vegetable dishes; printed, banded, granite fancy and white and gold toiletware, jugs, mugs, teapots, cake bakers, pudding bowls, dinner sets, dessert sets, opaque cups and saucers.
CHINA—White and gold and blue sprig, cups and saucers, plates, &c.; breakfast sets, dessert sets, &c.
GLASS—Cut, pressed, engraved, and soda tumblers; ale and nobbler tumblers and goblets; sugars and butters, cruets, salts, wines, decanters, caraffs, lusts, &c.

The Auctioneer desires to draw the special attention of the trade to the above sale, as a favourable opportunity of securing really first-class and suitable goods for the ensuing Christmas trade. Every package will be sold without reserve.

Terms liberal.

THIS DAY, 2ND OCTOBER.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO FURNITURE DEALERS.

TOILET, DINNER, DESSERT, and BREAKFAST SERVICES.

The attention of Furniture Dealers is specially directed to the above, which are in the commonest and best descriptions. The sale will commence at 11 o'clock, and the above will be offered at 12 prompt.

L. E. THRELKELD, Auctioneer.

KNIGHT, BEVAN, and STURGE'S CEMENT, Now landing, ex CARLISLE.

In splendid order and condition.

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE, at the CITY MART, THIS DAY, October 2, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, October 2, at 11 o'clock,
Ex Carlisle,
250 barrels K., B., and S.'s cement,
in lots to suit purchasers.
Terms at sale.

EUROPE CORDAGE, 1½ to 6 inches
BOLT-ROPE, 12, 15, and 18 thread.

Just landed.
For Positive Unreserved Sale.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, October 2, at 11 o'clock,
An invoice of the above.
Terms at sale.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade.

IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE BOOT AND SHOE SALE, FRIDAY, 5th October.

Just landed ex Birker, Sir J. Family, and Carlisle.

Men's calf goloshed hand-sewn E.S.
Ditto kid ditto ditto
Women's morocco E.S. Hessians
Ditto kid ditto ditto
Ditto lasting, various makes
Ditto ditto, T.P.H., 4 to 8
Ditto ditto, spring heels, ditto
Ditto cashmere, ditto, ditto
Ditto ditto, T.P.H., ditto
Ditto Polish's lasting toes and plain.
Maids' 1½ to 2 morocco, E.S., 11 to 1, 7 to 10, 4 to 6, and 1 to 3, in every make.

L. E. THRELKELD has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on FRIDAY, 5th October, at 11,
The above excellent assortment of boots and shoes.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

ARRIVAL OF THE TEA CLIPPER WILLIAM MANSON.

FIRST CROP CONGOU TEAS, 1877-78.

THE BEST AND MOST SUITABLE SHIPMENT OF THE PRESENT SEASON.

The entire Cargo of the Barque William Manson, from Foochow direct,
comprising—
1021 Chests
4884 Half-chests
4439 Boxes
200 Boxes finest S. O. Pekoe.

The Auctioneer is instructed to clear off the entire cargo at auction, on WEDNESDAY, October 3, at the City Mart.

THIS SHIPMENT COMPRISES THE CHOICEST SELECTION OF 12-LB. BOXES, the omission of which has characterised all previous shipments this season.

, The muster packages are now open at the City Mart, and will be found on inspection to possess FULL RICH FLAVOUR and GOOD STRENGTH, evenly made, and of the most suitable descriptions for counter and country requirements.
FIRST CROP TEAS, specially bought at the opening of the FOOCHOW MARKET, and embrace all the excellences of the early STEAMER-BORNE shipments without taxing the dealer and consumer with the EXCESSIVE freight.
Buyers are invited to make themselves acquainted with the merits of each chop.

The WILLIAM MANSON'S Cargo was purchased at the EARLIEST OPENING of the FOOCHOW TEA SEASON, and embraces the CHOICEST CHOPS then on offer.
THE 12-lb BOXES form an especial feature, and the importer's knowledge of the requirements of the Sydney market is further proved by the JUDICIOUS SELECTION OF THIS CARGO.

Note Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, October 3, at the City Mart.

Under instructions from Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, October 3, at 11 o'clock,
The entire cargo of CHOICE FIRST CROP CONGOU TEAS, ex WILLIAM MANSON, from Foochow, comprising—
1021 chests
4884 half-chests
4439 boxes
200 boxes finest S. O. pekoe, short leaf.

This cargo was SPECIALLY SELECTED to the order of the importers, and will be found on inspection to merit the assertion that it is one of the MOST SERVICEABLE SHIPMENTS of the season.

The Auctioneer is instructed to notify that it is the determination of the importers to sell the cargo at auction, WITHOUT RESERVE.
Terms unusually liberal.

TUESDAY, October 2, 1877.

In the Insolvent Estate of Laurence Levy.
By order of the Official Assignee, Alfred Sandeman, Esq.

To Storekeepers, General Dealers, and others.

JOHN G. COHEN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 267, Margaret-street, THIS DAY, October 2nd, 1877, at 11 o'clock precisely,
Byass' ale and porter, raisins, confectionery
Wax vestas, scented soap, champagne
Arrowroot, sarsaparilla, cigars, currants
Dates, case brandy, Brandreth's pills, furniture polish,
Judson's gum, envelopes, novels
Cutlery, nests camphorwood trunks, wrapping paper
Portmanteaus and sundries.
Terms, cash.

W. PRITCHARD'S.

ORDER OF SALE.

THURSDAY NEXT, October 4th, at 11 o'clock.

THREE-STORIED Buildings, corner of CUMBERLAND and ESSEX STREETS.

BLOCK of LAND, FRONTAGE to CUMBERLAND-STREET and GLOUCESTER-ST.

3 ALLOTMENTS, CAMDENVILLE, NEWTOWN, CORNER of EDGEWARE ROAD.

CORNER ALLOTMENT, MARRICKVILLE, 131 FEET to VICTORIA ROAD, JUNCTION of ENMORE ROAD.

8 Acres of LAND and COTTAGE, at BOTANY, near the HALFWAY HOUSE.

CLIFTON COTTAGE and GROUNDS, BALMAIN, the RESIDENCE of the late Captain SHOOBERT.

COTTAGE and 4 acres of LAND, at ENFIELD, near BURWOOD.

COTTAGE and LAND, Leasehold 81 years, Harris-street, Pyrmont.

PETERSHAM.

COTTAGE AND BLOCK OF LAND, ON THE BOULEVARD, LEWISHAM ESTATE.

W. PRITCHARD will sell on SATURDAY next, October 6, at 3 o'clock,
ON THE GROUND,
ALLOTMENT OF LAND, on the Boulevard, on which is erected a SUBSTANTIAL COTTAGE, of brick, on stone, and slated roof, containing dining and drawing room, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, storeroom, &c., at present tenanted by Mrs. Wolfe, next to Mr. Bell's.
Title, Torrens' Act.
Terms at sale.
Cards to view can be had at the rooms of the auctioneer, 281, George-street.

PETERSHAM.

SALE ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY next, October 6th, at 3 o'clock.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on next SATURDAY AFTERNOON,
ALLOTMENT of LAND, having a frontage of 30 feet to FRAZER-STREET, by a depth of 180 feet.
Terms at sale.
'Bus will leave the Rooms at 2 o'clock.

CORNER BLOCK OF LAND, PETERSHAM, adjacent to the ENGLISH CHURCH, near to the Petersham RAILWAY STATION, STANMORE and PETERSHAM 'BUS STAND.

ON THE GROUND on SATURDAY, October 6th.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY AFTERNOON, October 6, at 3.30,
All that CORNER BLOCK of LAND, in the BEST and most ELIGIBLE position in this FAVOURITE and HEATHY SUBURB, having a frontage to DURHAM-STREET of 160 feet, and to Frederick-street of 99 feet.
'Bus will leave the Rooms, 281, George-street, at 2.15.
Title, Torrens' Act. Terms, cash.

PETERSHAM, CORNER OF VIRGINIA AND FRAZER STREETS.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, next SATURDAY, October 6, ON THE GROUND, at 3.30,
CORNER BLOCK OF LAND, with frontages to Virginia and Frazer streets.
Title, freehold. Terms liberal.

PETERSHAM.

ALLOTMENTS of LAND, close to RAILWAY STATION.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on SATURDAY next, at 4 o'clock,
ON THE GROUND,
Several choice building sites.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.
'Bus will leave the Rooms, 281, George-street, at 2 o'clock.

PETERSHAM.

CORNER ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, near Railway-station.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, on SATURDAY next, October 6, at 3.30,
4 ALLOTMENTS of LAND, at the junction of the NEW CANTERBURY ROAD and the VICTORIA ROAD, opposite 'bus stand.
Title, freehold.
Terms, liberal, at sale.
'Bus will leave the Rooms, 281, George-street, at 2 o'clock.

PETERSHAM.

CORNER BLOCK OF LAND, CLOSE TO PETERSHAM RAILWAY STATION.

W. PRITCHARD will sell on SATURDAY next, October 6, at 4 o'clock,
ON THE GROUND,
All that CORNER BLOCK of Land having a frontage of 66 feet to PALACE-STREET, with a side frontage of 137 feet to BRIGHTON-STREET.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.
'Bus will leave the Rooms, 281, George-street, at 2 o'clock.

BUILDING MATERIALS.
2 COTTAGES,
Elizabeth-street,
adjoining Temple Court,
Comprising bricks, joists,
Flooring, rafters, &c., &c.
For Positive Sale by Auction,
WEDNESDAY, October 3,
at half-past 2 sharp.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

GREAT CLEARING SALE.

To the Trade, Dealers, and Parties Furnishing this sale offers a first-class opportunity.

ANDERSON'S FURNITURE WAREHOUSE, DARLING and BOOTH STREETS, BALMAIN.

RETIRING FROM BUSINESS.

Consequent on Mr. Anderson undertaking the conduct of the Artisans' College and Home for Orphans, now in process of completion.

Furniture of all descriptions.
BEDSTEADS
EARTHENWARE
GLASSWARE
OF IMMENSE VARIETY.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON are instructed to sell, on the premises, the warehouse of Mr. G. Anderson, at the corner of Darling and Booth streets, Balmain, on THURSDAY, the 4th October, at 11 o'clock,
The whole of his excellent and varied stock of first-class household furniture, consisting principally of
DINING-ROOM, DRAWING-ROOM,
BEDROOM FURNITURE
EARTHENWARE and GLASSWARE
IRONMONGERY, CARPETS
OILCLOTHS, RUGS, MATS, &c., &c.
as per catalogue, now in course of preparation, and will be ready for issue on Thursday next.
Also very handsome
CRYSTAL EIGHT-LIGHT GASALIER.

The LEASE of the PREMISES having fourteen years to run, and covering a LARGE AREA of ground, at a rental of SEVEN SHILLINGS PER WEEK, will be offered for sale at the same time.
The ground has 92 FEET to Darling-street, facing which and Booth-street is the WAREHOUSE, COVERING 60 FEET FRONTAGE TO BOTH STREETS, and affording large and excellent ACCOMMODATION for an EXTENSIVE BUSINESS.

SALE of the ENTIRE STOCK on THURSDAY, 4th October, on the Premises, at 11 o'clock.

LUNCHEON PROVIDED.

Preliminary Notice.

DUTTON ESTATE, ULLADULLA.

FOUR FARMS.

By order of the Official Assignee, in the Estate of W. D. Levy.

26¼, 27½, 32, and 46½ ACRES, all excellently situated.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions, to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, 17th October, at 11 o'clock.

All these four parcels of land, situate in ULLADULLA, being four excellent blocks of land of respectively
26¼ ACRES
26½ ditto
32 ditto
46½ ditto.

Plan showing exact situation will be on view at the Rooms on and after MONDAY, 1st October.

TITLE perfect. Terms at sale.

CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

The eligibly-situated Block of Land and Cottage, Castlereagh-street, having a frontage of 42 feet by a depth of 66 feet.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON are instructed to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, 3rd October, at 11 o'clock,
All that parcel of land, being part of LOT 5, SECTION 4, parish of St. Lawrence, city of Sydney, and situated in Castlereagh-street, between Goulburn and Campbell streets, having a frontage of 42 feet to
CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
by a depth of 66 feet, and on part of which is erected an occupied 4-roomed cottage.
Terms liberal.
For positive sale.
Title indefeasible.

WALLERAWANG.

300 FEET ABOVE SYDNEY.

One of the most Rising Townships on our Western Line.

Substantial Stone Private Dwellings,
Well-grassed Paddocks and eligible Building Sites, in all 16 acres
Within 10 minutes' walk of the Railway Station
On the Main Thoroughfare.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 17th, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT VALUABLE property in the occupation of Mr. W. T. Corderoy, consisting of STONE STORES and DWELLING-HOUSE, together with 2 small cottages and outhouses, forming a very complete HOMESTEAD and rental.

A good business attached, and a well-assorted stock of all descriptions of goods now in store, which may be taken by the purchaser at a valuation.
The LOCALITY TEEMS with products, the development of which is only in its infancy, and to young men with families no finer climate and prospects are anywhere in existence.
Terms, liberal, at sale.
Title, freehold unquestionable.

MAXIMUS-TERRACE, GLEBE POINT ROAD.

a NEWLY and most substantially erected suite of excellent and commodious DWELLING-HOUSES, built without regard to cost, and fitted with every family convenience, realising a rental of £582 per annum.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 17, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT VALUABLE PROPERTY, consisting of EIGHT brick-built two-storied houses, on stone foundations, let to respectable tenants at a rental each of £72 16s per annum, and in one of the most eligible and convenient situations about the city.
They each contain hall, DINING-ROOM, DRAWING-ROOM, 3 BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOM, SERVANT'S ROOM, and KITCHEN, &c., with spacious yards. The whole of the structure is well finished throughout, with gas and water laid on, and they will be offered either separately or in one lot.

TITLE, BISHOPTHORPE LEASEHOLD. GROUND RENT, £60 per annum on the WHOLE PROPERTY.
Terms at sale.

SEA VIEW HEIGHT, ILLAWARRA ROAD, half-a-mile from Highbury Barn.

31 ACRES OF LAND,

10 minutes' drive from the Cook's River Dam.

Magnificent situation, commanding extensive views of the ocean and Botany Bay; a lovely site for a suburban residence, or to cut up in allotments.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 273, George-street, on WEDNESDAY, 3rd October, at 11 o'clock,

ALL THOSE PARCELS OF LAND on the Illawarra Road, a little way beyond the HIGHBURY BARN HOTEL, delightfully situated, bounded by two roads; possesses all the beauties of this very charming locality, and either for cutting up or as a site for a private residence is unsurpassed.
PLAN AT THE ROOMS.

TITLE INDEFEASIBLE. TERMS LIBERAL.

SALE, WEDNESDAY, 3rd October.

STONE COTTAGE RESIDENCE and 7 Acres, SANS SOUCI ROAD.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 3, at 11 o'clock,
That comfortable cottage residence, containing 6 rooms, with outhouses, &c., on the right hand side of the road going out, and a short distance from the old tollbar site.
The property has only to be seen to be appreciated, and has been completed without regard to cost.
Terms at sale.
Title unquestionable.

CHARMING SITES, between CHARING CROSS and RANDWICK, ON THE HEIGHTS, but well sheltered, adjoining Hooper's Gardens.

This is one of the only original Blocks left undisturbed in this favourite locality.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, AND WESTON will sell by auction, on the ground, on SATURDAY, October 13, at 3,
Those five choice lots, having frontages to Pine-street, Hamilton-street, and Orange-street, with excellent depths.
Lithographs, giving the various dimensions, now to be had at the Rooms.
With a view to rendering this spot more attractive, the original possessor many years since laid out a belt of pine trees, now coming to perfection, exhibiting foresight and taste seldom met with in the ordinary way, and which the purchasers cannot fail to estimate on inspection.
Terms, liberal.
Title guaranteed.

IMPORTANT SALE at WOODVILLE, the residence of the Honorable JOHN LACKEY, CLOSE TO THE GUILDFORD STATION.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
THOROUGHBRED COACHING STALLION AND FILLY
50 HEAD OF DAIRY STOCK
HORSES, BUGGIES, CARTS, HARNESS
FARMING IMPLEMENTS, NEW CHAFFCUTTER
35 TONS GOOD OATEN HAY, very sweet.

BOWDEN and MILLS have received instructions from the Hon. John Lackey, in consequence of his having let the estate, to sell by auction, at his residence, Woodville, FRIDAY, October 12, at 11 o'clock,
A quantity of household furniture, comprising—Drawing room suite; carpets, 25 x 15 and 10 x 15; pier glasses, occasional tables, whatnot, telescope table, chairs, chiffoniers, hatstand, oil floorcloth, bedsteads, bedding, washstands and sets, chests drawers, lounge, kitchen utensils, safes, sofas, mangle, cases, scales and weights, and portable earth closet.
Ploughs, scarifiers, American gang plough, roller, carts, 2 buggies; chaffcutters, one of Bentall's patent, new; iron chains for stumping machine, and hooks; corn sheller, sheets of iron, horse hay-rake; also, 35 tons of good sound old hay.
50 head of quiet dairy cows, some newly calved, others springing; 1 bull, half-bred buffalo; and the thoroughbred coaching stallion Mentor, 5 years, 16 hands 2 inches high, by Stafford, from very fine mare, by Young Johannah, bred by Sir William Macarthur, [illegible].

A SMALL COTTAGE, LAMBERT-STREET, Camperdown.

BOWDEN and MILLS are instructed to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 11th October, at half-past 11 o'clock,
A small 2-roomed cottage, on land having 24 feet frontage to Lambert-street by a depth of 92 feet, lately in the possession of Mr. James Gesch, deceased.
Title, freehold and satisfactory.
Terms at sale.

PARRAMATTA GAS CO.'S SHARES.

35 Original Shares, with the accumulated interest at 7 per cent. added.

BOWDEN and MILLS have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, on THURSDAY, 11th October, at 11 30 prompt,
35 shares in the Parramatta Gas Company (limited).

HENRIETTA-STREET, WAVERLEY.

2 HALF-ACRE ALLOTMENTS.

BOWDEN and MILLS are instructed to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 11th October, at half-past 11 o'clock,
2 half-acre allotments of land, in the best part of Waverley, for private residences, being portions 4 and 6 of the subdivision of L. Gordon's 15-acre block, which is bounded on the east by lands granted to Messrs. G. A. Lloyd, G. Renwick, D. M'Pherson, P. M'Donald, and others, as shown on the Government map, on view at the auction room, together with the plan of subdivision.
LOT 4 commences in Henrietta-street, 3 chains and 36 links from its junction with the Government Road leading to the coast, with frontage to the street of 1 chain 12 links, and a depth of 4 chains 50 links.
LOT 6 of the subdivision also contains half an acre, with the like frontage to Henrietta-street, and same depth; separated from lot 4 by one allotment of half an acre sold to Mr. J. T. Lucas.
These allotments are worthy the notice of speculators to cut up and sell by the foot frontage, a plan lately adopted with much success with land in the immediate neighbourhood, but the auctioneers' instructions are to sell absolutely the blocks in two lots.
Terms at sale.
Particulars of title can be obtained on application to Mr. J. W. Street, solicitor, 171, Pitt-street.

WATSON'S BAY.

ONE OF THE CHOICEST WATERSIDE ALLOTMENTS IN THE BAY FOR ABSOLUTE SALE. AT THE RISK OF FORMER PURCHASERS, ON THE 2nd OF JUNE LAST.

BOWDEN and MILLS are instructed to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 11th October, at half-past 11 o'clock prompt,
One of the best sites in Watson's Bay, being No. 1 of the subdivision of Lang's Point, comprising—All that parcel of land, commencing at the northern corner of the reserve on the NORTH SIDE OF WHARF, being bounded on the north-east by PACIFIC-STREET, bearing north-westerly 120 feet to the south-eastern boundary of lot 2; thence on the north-west by that said boundary bearing south-westerly 150 feet to the waters of Watson's Bay; thence on the west by that bay bearing southerly 60 feet to the north-western boundary of the aforesaid reserve; and thence on the south by that said boundary 160 feet to the point of commencement, be the said several dimensions all a little more or less.
This allotment commands a view of the whole bay and the harbour for miles, and is separated from VICTORIA-STREET only by the reserve.
For particulars of title apply to Mr. ASHDOWN, Solicitor, 168, Pitt-street.

ROSENEATH and BALMORAL COTTAGES, GEORGE-STREET, BURWOOD, CLOSE TO THE CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

BOWDEN and MILLS are instructed by the proprietor, to sell by auction, ON THE GROUND, BURWOOD, on SATURDAY, the 13th October, at half-past 3 o'clock p.m., in two lots,
1st. The cottage occupied by Mr. Andrew Fairfax, known as Roseneath, containing 5 rooms, passage, kitchen, servant's room, pantry, and bathrooms, verandah in front, good water, fine garden. Frontage to George-street, [illegible] feet by a depth of 200 feet.
2nd. The cottage occupied by Mrs. Carrington, next to Mr. Fairfax's, and known as Balmoral Cottage, containing 4 rooms, passage, kitchen, pantry, and servants' room, good water, verandah, back and front; land to go with cottage, 82 feet to George-street by a depth of 200 feet. Good garden, vines, and fruit trees.
These are very comfortable cottages, pleasantly and conveniently situated, very near the railway station.
Title, satisfactory.

THE FREEHOLD ESTATE OF CARTHONA, DARLING POINT.

For sale by auction,
THURSDAY, October 11,
in one Lot, or in 3 LOTS AS ORIGINALLY SUBDIVIDED by the late Sir THOMAS MITCHELL.

BOWDEN and MILLS are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, October 11, at half-past 11 o'clock prompt,
The ESTATE of CARTHONA, DARLING POINT, bounded on the east and north-east by the waters of the harbour flowing on to a beautiful white sandy beach of considerable extent, with bathing-house.
The frontage toward DOUBLE BAY is about 555 feet.
The estate adjoins the highly-improved properties of the WILLOWS, LINDSAY, &c.

Lot 1 comprises 1 acre 1 rood 30 perches including the whole of the beach fronting the estate and additional frontage to the bay up to Mr. Skinner's boundary, measuring in all about 555 feet.
On this lot stands the FAMILY MANSION, built of stone under the personal inspection of the late Sir Thomas Mitchell, containing in the basement several large and cool cellars, well drained. On the ground floor a portico, a very large hall, and staircase to the second story; a well-finished drawing-room 22 feet 3 inches by 15 feet 6 inches, separated from the dining-room by sliding doors, the latter room being 25 feet by 16 feet, with bay window looking over Double Bay.
Adjoining the Dining-room, with the same charming view, is the library; and on the other side of the hall is a good bedroom and a butler's pantry. Attached to the house is the large kitchen, &c., containing Russell's cooking stove and other conveniences. The bedroom story contains chambers, suitable in character to the rest of the building. The out-buildings, erected in stone, comprise spacious coach-house, stabling for six horses, plenty of good servants' bedroom accommodation, loft, saddle room, laundry, &c. A never-failing supply of pure water laid on to kitchen and laundry, besides a massive stone tank, roofed in, supplied by a spring from the rock.
Persons requiring a commodious family residence for themselves are invited to inspect Carthona. Cards of admission obtainable from the Auctioneers, 154, Pitt-street, available on Friday and Saturday afternoons.
Lot 2 adjoins lot 1, above described, extending from the carriage road upwards to a road on the crown of the hill, with a frontage there of 86 feet; bounded by lot 1 for 262 feet, by a road separating it from lot 3 for 238 feet, and by the carriage road leading to the dwelling-house 155 feet.
Lot 3 is bounded on the north-west by Mr. John Newton's highly improved property and residence for 268 feet, and on the opposite side by a reserved road 250 feet, which separates it from lot 2, and by the carriage road 170 feet.
ALL THESE LOTS HAVE SPLENDID VIEWS OF THE HARBOUR.
Title satisfactory.
TERMS—15 per cent. cash deposit; 50 per cent. may remain on mortgage at 6 per cent., and the balance in cash on completion of the conveyance.
A plan on view at the Rooms.

CITY ALLOTMENTS,
fronting
WATTLE and LEVEY STREETS,
off
PARRAMATTA-STREET,
will be sold at auction,
THIS DAY, 2nd October,
by
HARDIE and GORMAN.

CITY ALLOTMENTS, off PARRAMATTA-STREET, adjoining the COLONIAL SUGAR COMPANY'S PROPERTY and the DARLING NURSERY ESTATE.

Positive clearance Sale of the residue of unsold Allotments in the
CHIPPENDALE ESTATE,
having frontages to WATTLE, LEVEY, and SMITHERS STREETS, off ABERCROMBIE-STREET.

TITLE, REAL PROPERTY ACT. TERMS VERY LIBERAL.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on
TUESDAY, 2nd October,
The whole of the unsold lots in the CHIPPENDALE ESTATE, fronting WATTLE, LEVEY, and SMITHERS STREETS.
Instructions are positive to sell these very valuable CITY allotments, to close the estate.
The locality is a very good one and very populous, and the position very accessible, being only a short distance off PARRAMATTA-STREET, where 'bus communication is regular and frequent.
PLAN ON VIEW.
LITHOGRAPHS READY FOR DELIVERY,
day of sale,
TUESDAY, 2nd October.

THIS DAY.

ORDER OF SALE of CITY and SUBURBAN properties, to be offered at auction, at the CENTRAL PROPERTY SALE ROOMS, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 O'CLOCK SHARP.

NORTH SHORE. Two magnificent blocks of land, situate in HIGH-STREET, between Messrs. BLIGH and DEANE'S properties.

MIDDLE HARBOUR. THIRTY-ONE ACRES, fronting the water, and adjoining SPENCER'S GRANTS.

COOK'S RIVER ROAD. A Cottage Residence, situate in Victoria-street, occupied by Mr. DUNN.

CITY ALLOTMENTS, off PARRAMATTA-STREET. Allotments, fronting WATTLE and LEVEY STREETS, adjoining the DARLING NURSERY and SUGAR CO.'S ESTATES.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

HEMMING'S ORCHARD,
CROYDON,
within FIVE MINUTES' walk of the CROYDON RAILWAY STATION,
will be sold on
TUESDAY, 9th October,
at Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street,
the allotments fronting
HEMMING-STREET
COLANE-STREET
LANG-STREET
and
BUCKIMBAH-STEET,
each lot has a large frontage and a good depth, and the STREETS ARE FENCED OFF.

INSPECTION INVITED.
POCKET LITHOGRAPHS and RAILWAY TIME TABLES are now ready.

Day of sale,
TUESDAY, 9th October.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

HIGH-STREET, NORTH SHORE.

LOT 1.—Block of Land, having about 170 feet frontage to HIGH-STREET, by the unusually great depth of about 200 feet.

This eligible land is situate between the properties of Messrs. BLIGH and DEANE, fronting HIGH-STREET, about 50 yards from the corner of ALFRED-STREET, and commands extensive and grand HARBOUR VIEWS, overlooking the waters of Careening Cove, and near to the residence of EDWARD LORD, Esq.

LOT 2.—Block of Land, directly opposite Lot 1, having about 170 feet frontage to HIGH-STREET, and near to ALFRED-STREET.

PLAN ON VIEW.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Central Sale Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, THIS DAY, 2nd October,
The above described properties, either in ONE or TWO lots.

Solicitors for vendor—John Dawson and Sons.

TO MEDICAL GENTLEMEN AND OTHERS.

MIDDLE HARBOUR.

A well-elevated and choice block of Land, containing an area of about
THIRTY-ONE ACRES,
situate on the NORTH bank of Middle Harbour, adjoining DANIEL BEATON'S land, and being the land sold by the Government, 31st January, 1877.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, at 11 o'clock, THIS DAY, 2nd October,
All that magnificent block of land, containing an area of
THIRTY-ONE ACRES.

, This block has large water frontage to Middle Harbour, near to BANTRY BAY, and adjoins J. L. Spencer's grants.
The opportunity to secure so large a block at one purchase should command ready attention. The views are grand, varied and extensive; the air salubrious; and the position very accessible.
DAY of SALE—
TUESDAY, October 2.

CROYDON. CROYDON.

THE CHOICEST VILLA SITE, ORCHARD PLOTS, and BUILDING ALLOTMENTS, in this ARISTOCRATIC and DAILY IMPROVING LOCALITY, both for SURROUNDINGS, ELIGIBILITY of SITE, PICTURESQUE SCENERY, and ACCESSIBILITY to the CROYDON RAILWAY STATION will be sold by auction, at the Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, on
TUESDAY, 9th October,
by
HARDIE and GORMAN.

THOUSANDS of POUNDS must have been expended in DRAINING, TRENCHING, PLANTING, and otherwise improving the land.
The many, and various kinds of CHOICE FRUIT TREES are now green and blossoming and bid fair to bear fruit largely this season.
THE VIEWS
are very various, commanding pretty parts of the
PARRAMATTA ROAD
and the
HILLS BEYOND,
with surroundings of a first-class character.
THE SUBDIVISION
is liberal, and opportunity will be given to secure DOUBLE FRONTAGES and DOUBLE DEPTHS.
THE TERMS
will be exceedingly easy, payments extending over a period of THREE YEARS.
THE INSTRUCTIONS
are ABSOLUTE to sell to CLOSE PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

PLAN ON VIEW.
POCKET LITHOGRAPHS ARE NOW READY.

Day of Sale,
TUESDAY, 9th OCTOBER.

RIVERSTONE TOWNSHIP.
The NEW TOWNSHIP of RIVERSTONE,
at the
RAILWAY STATION,
will be sold, on the Ground,
in ONE-ACRE BLOCKS,
on SATURDAY, 27th October, at 3 o'clock.

Title, Torrens' Act. Terms very liberal.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Auctioneers.

STERLING CITY PROPERTY.

THE BELMORE ARMS HOTEL, with SHOP and DWELLING-HOUSE, adjoining, situate in PITT-STREET, near the Belmore Markets.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th October, at 11 o'clock,
That sterling city freehold, the BELMORE ARMS HOTEL, with SHOP and DWELLING-HOUSE adjoining, being
Nos. 503 and 505,
PITT-STREET,
near the Belmore Markets, having a frontage of 40 FEET (more or less) to PITT-STREET, by a depth of 76 feet (more or less) to right-of-way 8 feet wide.
The HOTEL is built of brick on stone foundation, and contains cellar, bar, bar-parlour, two sitting-rooms, kitchen, and pantry; on the second floor are parlour and 3 bedrooms; assembly hall (44 x 16) and balcony: on the third floor are 4 bedrooms, stabling, &c., at rear. The SHOP adjoining contains 5 rooms and shed. The entire property is well drained, being connected with the main sewer in Pitt-street. The buildings are in thorough order, and the Hotel commands a full trade.

The above is a VERY VALUABLE FREEHOLD, in a rising and important business position, and a part of our city in which vast improvements have lately been made by the erection of LARGE BUSINESS PREMISES and opening of branch banks, post and telegraph offices, all bringing a large amount of business to this locality, which must eventually become the centre of Sydney.
Title, Torrens' Act. Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION.

FIVE FAVOURABLY SITUATED BUILDING SITES, at the corner of BLAND and ELIZABETH STREETS, within sight of and only a few yards from the ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. THOMAS SHORE to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on an early day, due notice of which will be announced.
The above, full particulars will be published in a few days.
In the meantime a plan of the land may be inspected at the Rooms.

PALMERSTON ESTATE.

This Property, comprising 10½ ACRES of Land,
at the corner of
UNDERWOOD and ELIZABETH STREETS,
a few yards from the
CROYDON RAILWAY STATION,
is for Auction Sale,
ON THE GROUND,
in
FIFTY VILLA SITES,
by
RICHARDSON and WRENCH,
on
SATURDAY, 20th OCTOBER, at 3 o'clock.

LITHOGRAPHS of the subdivision now ready.

TERMS—One-third cash; residue 1, 2, and 3 years.

NEWTOWN LAND SALE.

56 CHOICE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,
portion of
CAMDEN COLLEGE GROUNDS,
will be sold, on the Ground,
SATURDAY, 13th October, at 3 o'clock.

TERMS very liberal. LITHOGRAPHS now ready.
TITLE, TORRENS' ACT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Auctioneers.

By order of the TRUSTEES of the Estate of the late T. C. BREILLAT, Esq.

NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION.

LOT 1.—VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND, immediately adjoining the
RAILWAY STATION,
being lots 10 and 11 of the THURNBY ESTATE; having 90 FEET frontage to FREDERICK-STREET, a few yards west of STATION-STREET, with a depth of 150 FEET, extending to a lane at the rear; and also bounded on the west by a RESERVED ROADWAY leading to TRAFALGAR-TERRACE.

LOT 2.—Two Allotments of Land—Nos. 7 and 8 of the same Estate—at the corner of CHAPLIN and WILFORD STREETS, a few feet from the Enmore Road, opposite THURNBY HOUSE and GROUNDS, the residence of W. J. FOSTER, Esq.
No. 7 has 33 feet frontage to WILFORD-STREET 81 FEET to CHAPLIN-STREET, and 33 FEET to a lane.
No. 8 has 33 FEET frontage to WILFORD-STREET, with a depth of 81 FEET, extending to a lane at the rear.
These sites are only a few yards from the NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION, and, having the advantage of the highly improved ground attached to Thurnby, are admirably adapted as sites for private residences. They are both enclosed with a paling fence.
Title, Torrens' Act.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street,
on FRIDAY, 12th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above described choice blocks of building land, at the NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION.
Plan on view at the Rooms.

TERMS, VERY LIBERAL—10 per cent. cash, 15 per cent. in three months without interest, and the residue in 3 years from day of sale, interest 6 per cent. per annum.

LAND SALE,
ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, 6th OCTOBER, at 3 o'clock.

ASHFIELD PARK ESTATE.

All that conveniently-situated BLOCK of LAND, in area
3½ ACRES,
at the junction of CHURCH and LUCY STREETS,
adjoining
ALEXANDRA CRESCENTS,
within seven minutes' walk of the
ASHFIELD and CROYDON
RAILWAY STATIONS,
subdivided into
BUILDING SITES,
on two of which are the following improvements:—
A TWO-STORY DWELLING HOUSE, fronting Church-street
A COTTAGE near the above, also fronting CHURCH-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from H. M. FAITHFULL, Esq., to sell by public auction, on THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, 6th OCTOBER, at 3 o'clock,

Portion of the well-known
ASHFIELD PARK ESTATE,
being original lot 15 of section 2 of the ESTATE, subdivided into
EIGHTEEN GOOD BUILDING SITES,
as follows:—

SECTION 1.
Nos. 1, 2, and 3, from 40 to 50 feet frontages to LUCY-STREET, with depths of 150 FEET, and No. 3 has also 150 FEET frontage to ALEXANDRA-STREET; Nos. 4 to 8, from 50 feet frontages to ALEXANDRA-STREET, with depths of 130 FEET.

SECTION 2.
Nos. 1 to 10, each having from 47 FEET to 64 FEET double frontages to CHURCH and ALEXANDRA STREETS, with depths of 150 feet, No. 1, being a corner, and having 150 feet frontage to Lucy-street.
On lot 5 is a two-story RESIDENCE of 6 rooms and
On lot 8 is a COTTAGE of three rooms.

The above-described SITES are very conveniently situated in the very centre of
ASHFIELD NORTH,
in the immediate vicinity of the
VILLAS and GROUNDS
belonging to JOHN SANDY, Esq.; W. MUIR, Esq.; A. HORDERN, Esq.; J. DAVENPORT, Esq., and others, and an easy distance (only seven minutes' walk) from the
ASHFIELD RAILWAY STATION,
and about the same from
CROYDON RAILWAY STATION.
This part of the delightful RAILWAY SUBURB has been greatly improved of late, the streets have all been properly formed and ballasted, the drainage has been perfected, crescents formed and planted, the whole rendering this
IMMEDIATE LOCALITY
a very attractive spot for
PRIVATE RESIDENCES.
All the lots have been pegged out, so that intending purchasers will have no difficulty in identifying the several lots upon the ground.

The Auction plan is now on view at the Rooms, and LITHOGRAPHS are ready for distribution.
FREE TICKETS will be issued per railway on day of sale.

TERMS, LIBERAL, AT SALE.

NEWTOWN ROAD and QUEEN-STREET.

SPLENDID CORNER BLOCK OF LAND at the junction of the NEWTOWN ROAD and QUEEN-STREET, a few yards west of the Toll-bar.

, This is the only Corner Site now in the market fronting the Newtown Road, one of the best business thoroughfares out of the city.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 12th October, at 11 o'clock,
Valuable block of land, corner of Newtown Road and Queen-street.
Title, Torrens' Act. Plan at the Rooms.

MANLY BEACH.

VALUABLE BLOCK of LAND, in all about 40 acres on the North bank of CURL CURL LAGOON, about 2 miles from the PIER, at MANLY, being the western half of MILDWATER'S and WILSON'S grant, adjoining Wheeler's 100-acre grant.
It has been in cultivation, was formerly fenced, and otherwise improved.
The greater portion of the land is rich alluvial soil, in every respect admirably adapted for MARKET GARDENS, and the elevated parts are suitable as good BUILDING SITES.
The attention of Capitalists, Speculators, Builders, and others is directed to the sale, as it is now but seldom that so large a block of land, within such easy distance of the steamers' wharf at Manly is offered in one lot.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 12th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above-described 40 ACRES of land, at CURL CURL, MANLY BEACH.
Plan at the Rooms. Terms at sale.

BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the late Mrs. HARRIET ELIAS, as Mortgagees, TO CLOSE THE ESTATE.

TOWN of PORT MACQUARIE,
HALF ACRE ALLOTMENT of LAND,
No. 16 of section 14 of the TOWN known as J. R. Hatfield's grant. It has 66 FEET frontage to BRIDGE-STREET, with a depth of 330 FEET.
Also,
TOWN of HASTINGS NORTH,
COUNTY of MACQUARIE,
Allotment of Land, No. 80, of section 47, of the Town, having 33 FEET frontage to Bourke-street, with a depth of 290 FEET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11 o'clock,
The above two lots of land, which must be sold to close the estate.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the late RICHARD O'CONNOR, Esq.

VERY VALUABLE and BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED LARGE BLOCK of LAND,
comprising
3 ACRES 2 ROODS 6 PERCHES,
together with
THE COTTAGE RESIDENCE
thereon, now in the occupation of Mrs. O'Connor.
It adjoins STRATHMORE HOUSE and GROUNDS, the property of the Hon. W. G. ALLEN, and fronts
THE MAIN GLEBE ROAD,
extending eastward to the waters of
JOHNSTON'S BAY.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 19th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above described valuable property, at Glebe Point,
In ONE LOT.
Further particulars will appear in a future advertisement.
Plan at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.
Messrs. ELLIS and MAKINSON, Elizabeth-street, Solicitors for the Estate.

DARLINGTON ALLOTMENTS.

SIX ALLOTMENTS at the corner of NEWTOWN OLD ROAD and CLEVELAND-STREET will be sold by public auction, at the Rooms of
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, on FRIDAY, 12th October, at 11 o'clock.

FIRST-CLASS UNSTOCKED COUNTRY.

500 Square Miles, more or less, Albert District, about 200 miles from Bourke, or 150 miles from Wilcannia.

THOMAS DAWSON and CO., in conjunction with Messrs. Wilkinson, Hann, Minchin, and Co., have received instructions from M. O'Connor, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Chamber of Commerce, Sydney, on SATURDAY, the 13th October next, at 11 o'clock,
The following five blocks of country:—
Caryapundy
Conulpie
Bolwarry
Omura No. 5
Omura No. 6.

Those blocks are situated on Burke and Wills's track, and are well watered by the Bulloo River, Tongowoko, Torrens, and other creeks, being splendidly grassed, and magnificent saltbush country.
For further particulars and tracings see Agents, 326, George-street; or Vickery's-chambers, Pitt-street.

LACHLAN DISTRICT.

For POSITIVE SALE,
on ACCOUNT OF THE MORTGAGEES, with the concurrence of the Official Assignee of the Mortgagor.

GORMAN'S HILL WEST,
with 10,771 Sheep, more or less.

MORT and CO. will sell at the WOOL SALE ROOMS, Circular Quay, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 9th day of October next, at 2 o'clock p.m.,
The GORMAN'S HILL WEST STATION, in the Lachlan District, situated about 30 miles from Wollongough, a small, but VERY VALUABLE RUN, consisting of SPLENDID GRAZING, UNDULATING SALINE COUNTRY, with some open timber, but chiefly PLAINS, of which nearly EVERY ACRE IS AVAILABLE, being WELL GRASSED AND WATERED.
Adjoining are Messrs. M'Kellar and Holt's, Gorman's Hill; Bygolare, Boorabil, and Bogago Runs, and Mr. J. J. Walsh's Dundoo Hills South.
With the Station will be sold about 10,771 GOOD SHEEP, of the following sexes and ages, viz.:—

Dry Sheep.		Ewes.	
1 year old	.. 500	1 year old	.. 500
2 ditto	.. 800	2 ditto	.. 850
3 ditto	.. 700	3 ditto	.. 760
4 ditto	.. 650	4 ditto	.. 700
5 ditto and over	.. 1380	5 ditto and over	.. 1231

Lambs .. 2640
Rams .. 60

HORSES, drays, implements, stores, &c., to be taken at a valuation.
THE PRESENT CLIP of wool to be GIVEN IN to the purchaser.
EVERY ATTENTION has been given to the STORING OF WATER, and a NEVER-FAILING SUPPLY is now assured by a good WELL, and FOUR TANKS of a capacity of 5500, 5000, 400, and 150 yards respectively, besides a TANK of 5000 yards on the boundary of Dundoo Hills South.
THE IMPROVEMENTS consist of GOOD DWELLING-HOUSE, containing 10 downstair and 3 upstair rooms, with verandah, kitchens, and laundry of 4 rooms, good cellars, &c. Separate 6-ROOMED COTTAGE, with kitchen, store, harness house, and office; stabling; about 1½ acre GARDEN, well stocked with fruit trees; WOOLSHED, shearers' hut, and yards (now being completed); woolpress, stockyard, and necessary huts on different parts of the run; with boundary and dividing fencing; and the large TANKS above enumerated.
The Auctioneers desire to draw the attention of those in search of a REALLY FIRST-CLASS LITTLE PROPERTY to this favourably situated run.
It is for POSITIVE SALE, and intending purchasers are invited to make early inspection.
Further information can be obtained on application to
MORT and CO., Sydney.

Compact well-secured Station,
LACHLAN DISTRICT,
comprising 32,800 acres,
with 10,000 superior unshorn Sheep.
680 acres freehold.
2280 acres conditional purchase,
permanently watered, splendid country, extensive improvements.
Plant, Furniture, &c.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from E. H. Badgery, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 24th October, at 12 o'clock,
The Breakfast Creek Station, stock, plant, furniture, &c.
Full particulars in Saturday's SYDNEY MORNING HERALD.

CLEARING-OUT SALE.

Preliminary Notice.

WOODLANDS, one mile from Liverpool.

SALE BY AUCTION,
WEDNESDAY, and THURSDAY, the 3rd and 4th of October.

CHARLES A. SCRIVENER has been favoured with instructions from Thomas Hatfield, Esq., who is removing to Queensland, to sell by auction, on the ground,
HIS VERY SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, being contents of a 10-roomed house, nearly all of it recently new, including a dining-room suite, which cost 40 guineas, first-class piano
4 tanks.
A splendid opportunity for any one requiring first-class furniture.
Also,
80 head of cattle, a large proportion being fit for dairy purposes—10 good quiet COWS in FULL MILK, springers
Lot of Horses—Several heavy draught horses, one good upstanding hack
Farming implements, drays, and numerous sundries.
A good boat, 12 feet keel.
The cattle sale will commence at 11 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 3rd October.
Household furniture (which can be viewed on previous day), at 11 o'clock, THURSDAY, 4th October.
After the sale the lease for three years of Woodlands, together with 200 acres of land, will be offered, if not previously let.
Woodlands is a comfortable gentleman's residence, one mile from station, by a capital road, and very pleasantly situated on the Cabramatta Creek.

WELL-SITUATED ALLOTMENTS, TOWN OF WOLLONGONG.

By order of the Executors of the Will of the late C. T. Smith, Esq., J.P., to close estate accounts.

Terms:—Half cash deposit, balance at 6 months from day of sale.
Title—Grant from Crown to deceased.

JOHN BIGGAR has received instructions from the Executors in the Will of the late C. T. Smith, Esq., to sell by public auction, at Mrs. Osborne's Commercial Hotel, Wollongong, on WEDNESDAY, October 3, at 2 o'clock,
44 allotments in the best part of the town of Wollongong, distant about half a mile from the harbour, viz.:—
29 allotments, with frontages to Bulli Road of about 1 chain each, varying from 3 to 4 chains in depth.
Also, near the above,
15 allotments, with frontages to Charlotte-street, of 33 feet by depths varying from 66 to 250 feet.

The export of coals in 1876 from the coal mines in the Wollongong district was 200,281 tons, employing 518 miners. Other new mines are being opened. The officials of the Railway Department report that this quantity of coals with the other traffic of the Illawarra population, will pay all working expenses, and 5 per cent. interest on their estimate of cost of constructing a RAILWAY from WOLLONGONG to SYDNEY HARBOUR. The construction of this paying railway to bring abundance of CHEAP COAL to Sydney for the PEOPLE'S USE and COMMERCE cannot be much longer delayed. It is, in fact, only a question of a few short months.
To speculators, the sale of the above well-situated lots in the most improving part of the town, surrounded by VAST and PERMANENT MINERAL WEALTH present an opportunity for investments seldom to be met with.
Further particulars can be obtained from the auctioneer.

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FUNERALS.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. HARRIET CHAMBERS are invited to attend her Funeral; to move from her late residence, 94, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 120, Oxford-street, and 719, George-street South.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. OWEN BOYLE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased beloved eldest DAUGHTER, Annie Mary J. Boyle, to move from the residence of Mrs. F. Gillan, Lane Cove Road, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Lane Cove. JAMES CURTIS.

THE Members of the Sydney Marine Benefit Society are invited to attend the Funeral of their late Member, JAMES OWENS; to move from his late residence, Harbour View-terrace, Kent-street, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. THOMAS, Undertaker, 111, York-street. By order of the President. H. GREEN, Secretary.

THE FRIENDS of the deceased Mr. BERNARD DALY are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, near the Union Inn, St. Leonards, North Shore, TO MORROW, Wednesday, at a quarter past 2 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Lane Cove. JAMES CURTIS.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.—Liberal cash advances made by the undersigned on wool and other produce placed in their hands for sale in the colonies or shipment to Messrs. Dalgety, Du Croz, and Co., their London firm. Advances made on stations and stock. Station stores supplied.
DALGETY, BLACKWOOD, and CO.
Offices: Exchange-buildings, Pitt-street (next Messrs. W. Laidley and Co.'s), Sydney.

AVIS.—Mr. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, Dentist, will early in November REMOVE to those commodious Premises, 6, Carlton-terrace, Wynyard-square (immediately opposite).

MESSRS. JOHN GOSNELL and CO., Perfumers, Fine Soap Makers, and Brush Manufacturers by appointment to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, H.R.H. the Princess of Wales, and the various Courts of Europe, and the Eu..., beg to inform the trade that they have discontinued consigning their manufactures to Sydney since March, 1876, when they appointed Messrs. Elliott, Brothers, their sole wholesale agents, who now keep a good assortment of their perfumery, soap, and brushware always in stock.

THE ASSOCIATION CRICKET GROUND.—The Annual SUBSCRIPTION to this Ground has been fixed at £1 1s.
Tickets can be had on application to JOHN M. GIBSON, Hon. Secretary N. S. Wales Cricket Association, Box 23, General Post Office.

WOOL.—The undersigned will make liberal advances on Wool of the ensuing clip.
A. HINCHCLIFF,
Wool Stores, Circular Quay.

MORT AND CO.,
WOOL BROKERS,
LIVE STOCK and STATION AGENTS,
SHEEP and CATTLE SALESMEN.
Liberal ADVANCES on Wool, Sheepskins, Tallow, Hides, Leather, Tin, Copper, and any other colonial produce consigned to them for sale in Sydney, or for shipment to their London agents.
Wool Warehouses,
Circular Quay, Sydney.

COLLINGWOOD
WOOL SCOURING and FELLMONGERING ESTABLISHMENT,
LIVERPOOL.
Offices—3, Spring-street, Sydney.
This well-known establishment has been greatly enlarged, and the undersigned is prepared to guarantee dispatch with all wool sent to be scoured, having a never-failing supply in all seasons of the purest water.
Wool classed, repacked, and shipped. Wool coming by railway can be delivered direct, a branch line running into the Works.
SAUL SAMUEL, 3, Spring-street.

GOODENOUGH.
OPENING.
GOODENOUGH HORSE-SHOEING SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA,
will open their Head Office,
No. 92, Liverpool-street, between George and Pitt streets, on the 20th August.
Seventy-five horses can be shod daily at this shop, and others at
Branch No. 1, in rear of The Stables, O'Connell-street,
Branch No. 2, corner George and Redfern streets, Redfern, Woods, Herber, and Co.'s premises.
PRICES SAME AS USUAL.
TERMS, CASH.
Corns, Contractions, Thrush, and Quarter-cracks cured and prevented.
Satisfactory arrangements made for horses by the month, six months, or year.
Horses guaranteed to go sound, or
NO PAY.
NO FIRES. NO FIRES.
COLD SHOEING.

Goodenough Horse-shoeing Society of Australasia.
AUGUSTUS MORRIS, Esq., Director.
W. A. GOODENOUGH, Esq., Manager.

STEARINE CANDLE MANUFACTORY, BOTANY.—The proprietors are prepared to contract with Wholesale Dealers for Candles of their manufacture at current rates. Orders received at 393, George-street; or at the Works, Botany.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament during the present session, for leave to bring in a BILL to enable the Municipal Council of Orange, Trustees, of a piece or parcel of land, containing by admeasurement one rood and eleven perches and one half of a perch (more or less), situated in the county of Wellington, parish of Orange, town of Orange, allotment fourteen of section forty, and held by the said Municipal Council upon trust, to use the said land as a site for a Town Hall, to sell the said land and hereditaments, and to convey the same land to the purchasers thereof, and receive and give discharges for the purchase money of the same and to provide for the application of the said purchase money.
Dated this eighth day of September, A.D. 1877.
GEORGE TOWSON, Solicitor for the said Bill, Pinsley-street, Orange.

NOTICE UNDER TRUST PROPERTY ACT.
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES,
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Will of COLCLOUGH KIRWAN, late of Hamilton River, in the colony of Queensland, Squatter, deceased.
PURSUANT to the Act of the Legislature of New South Wales, 26 Victoria, No. 12, section 29, intituled "An Act to amend the law of property and further to relieve trustees," Notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the Estate of COLCLOUGH KIRWAN, late of Hamilton River, in the colony of Queensland, Squatter, deceased, who died on or about the 20th day of March last, and Probate of whose Will was granted by the Supreme Court of New South Wales in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction on the 10th day of September instant to WILLIAM WENTWORTH BUCKNELL, Esq., one of the Executors named in the said Will, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said Executors, addressed 63, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on or before the 10th day of December next, at the expiration of which time the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which he shall then have had notice; and the said Executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.
Dated this 15th day of September, A.D. 1877.
DEANE and DEANE, Proctors for the said Executor, 63, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

ALEXANDER COOPER, Financial Agent and Auctioneer, removed to 106, Elizabeth-street.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
IN INSOLVENCY.
In the Insolvent Estate of ALBERT MORRIS CASTLE, of Sydney, Solicitor.
NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made on behalf of the above-named Insolvent to his Honor the Chief Commissioner of Insolvent Estates, at the Insolvent Court, King-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, the eighteenth day of October instant, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the course of business will admit, for the release of the above Estate from Sequestration, on the ground that the said Insolvent has paid his creditors in full.
Dated this 1st day of October, A.D. 1877.
STEPHEN and STEPHEN, Attorneys for Insolvent, 71, Pitt-street, Sydney.

NOTICE.—I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible for any DEBTS that my WIFE Elizabeth, may contract after this date. JAMES BOGAN, Gosford, B. W. September 28, 1877.

REMOVAL.—The offices of the undersigned removed to 287, GEORGE-STREET, next door to the Café Francais. W. MEADOWS BROWNRIGG, Licensed Surveyor. 1st October, 1877.

I HEREBY apologise to Mrs. FINNEY for the slanderous language made use of by me towards her, same being untrue.
her
MARY x M'GUIRE.
mark.

MRS. CHANELOR begs to inform her friends and customers she has REMOVED to Carlton House, Bellevue-street, near Albion and Riley streets, Surry Hills.

NOTICE.—If J. CLARK, Bootmaker, does not redeem his clothes within three days, they will be sold to defray expenses. No further notice given. A. ROBERTS, Newtown. October 1, 1877.

NO. 2 STARR-BOWKET BUILDING SOCIETY.—A BALLOT and a SALE each for £300 will take place THIS EVENING, at 9 o'clock.
THOS. MILLER, Secretary.

NO. 3 STARR-BOWKETT BUILDING SOCIETY.—A BALLOT and also a SALE of the right to an ADVANCE, THIS EVENING, at 9 o'clock.
WILLIAM J. CLARKE, Sec.

IF Mr. HENRY WILSON does not write, or return, I intend to marry again. Mrs. H. WILSON.

PUBLIC COMPANIES.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
Chief Office—35, Cornhill, London.
Capital, £1,000,000. Paid up, £250,000.
Wool and merchandise insured at current rates.
W. H. MACKENZIE and CO., Agents for N. S. W.
Exchange-corner, Pitt-street, Sydney.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY,
corner of Pitt and Hunter streets.
Insurances against FIRE effected at the LOWEST rates of premium compatible with SAFETY.
Policy-holders enjoy the SECURITY of an ample CAPITAL, large Reserves, and the unlimited liability of a COLONIAL proprietary.
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.

PROSPECTUS
of the
PEAK DOWNS NEW COPPER MINING COMPANY (Limited).
Issued under the sanction of the Board of Directors of the Peak Downs Copper Company.
Capital, £25,000, in 50,000 shares of 10s each.
5s per share to be paid on application, and 5s per share as may be required after the formation of the Company.
To be registered in Queensland under the Act.
All deposits returned in full if the Company is not formed.

BANKERS:
The Australian Joint Stock Bank.
BROKERS:
Marshall Bayley and Peebles, 134, Pitt-street, Sydney.
C. H. Fisher, 152, Pitt-street.
J. Mullens, 34, Hunter-street.
J. B. North, 139, Pitt-street.
A. G. Smyth, 32, Hunter-street.

The above Sharebrokers have obtained from the Directors and Committee of the Peak Downs Copper Mining Company an offer of the Mine and Plant for the sum of £5000. This offer is open till the 31st day of October.
The condition is that every Shareholder in the old Company shall have the privilege of joining the new Company, and SHALL BE ENTITLED to take up one-half the number of shares which shall appear to his credit in the register of the Company on the 31st day of October next.
Applications by old Shareholders in excess of this number will be dealt with on the same terms as applications from the public.
The shares are, therefore, now offered to the old Shareholders and to the general public. Five shillings to be paid on deposit, and five shillings to be called up by the Directors of the new Company at such times and in such amounts as may be prescribed by the Deed of Settlement.
Scrip in the old Company or cash will be taken, at the option of the applicant, every share in the old Company being received as security for payment at the nominal value of 10s, each old share thus representing deposit on two new shares. IT IS TO BE DISTINCTLY UNDERSTOOD that any surplus in excess of the 10s per share—payable to such holders on division of assets in the old Company—will be their property, and be receivable by them when due at the office of the Peak Downs Copper Company. To facilitate this, shareholders in the old Company are requested to transfer all scrip into their own names at once.
THE PROPERTY.—The new Company will have the advantage of having a most complete plant, in working order, consisting of engines, machinery, buildings, and furnaces, which has cost a large amount of money, and could not be replaced under £20,000; besides a quantity of stores of considerable value; rolling and live stock; a large quantity of copper in the bottoms of the furnaces; and 1026 acres of freehold land.
REALISATION OF THE ASSETS OF THE OLD COMPANY.—One fact need only be noticed to show the vitality of this valuable property. During the past three and a half years it has realised a considerable portion of its capital. In January, 1874, the balance-sheet showed a surplus of £5878 only. In July, 1877, the balance-sheet showed a surplus of £61,323, thus exhibiting in that period an improvement in its position of £61,171.
THE PROSPECTS OF THE MINE.—The mine is still at work, but for a considerable time no exploratory works of any extent have been carried out, and only the richer known deposits of ore have been worked. There is, however, reasonable hope that future explorations will reveal further rich deposits; and this it will be the endeavour of the new Company to prove. There is also a vast quantity of poor ores, amounting to many thousands of tons (vide Holman's Report, July, 1876), which have been left in the old workings, and which will yield from 4 to 7 per cent., that might ultimately be profitably worked by one of the "wet" processes now so successfully used for ores of this character in various parts of the world.
CARRIAGE.—A considerable reduction may also shortly be expected in the rate for carriage, by the completion of the Railway in January next to within eighty miles of the mine.
LIMITED LIABILITY.—The main object gained by the shareholders in the new Company is their entire non-liability after the ten shillings per share is paid, instead of the unlimited liability of the present old shareholders.
With these prospects, it is confidently believed that there is yet a great future before the old mine. It is, therefore, hoped that old Shareholders will not allow this property to pass entirely from them without a further attempt at prospecting.
Over 100,000 tons of copper ore have been raised by the old Company, and large amounts paid in dividends; and yet but a very small portion of the ground has been worked.
A general Meeting will be called as soon as the Company is formed, to elect Directors, &c.
Applications for shares, if in excess of the number required, will be allotted PRO RATA after the Shareholders in the old Company applying have received their quota, as before explained.
APPLICATIONS may be forwarded to any of the above-mentioned Brokers before the 30th day of October, accompanied with deposit, in scrip or cash, to the value of 5s. per share.

FORM OF APPLICATION.
To.................................
Share Broker, Sydney.
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WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply 44, College-street.

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WANTED, a respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. 125, Albion-st., S. Hills, nr. Riley-st.

WANTED, General SERVANTS. Registry Office, 221, Parramatta-street.

WANTED, a General Servant, and a Woman to take charge of a baby. T. Keary, 212, William-st.

WANTED, General SERVANT; also young GIRL for children; good wages; refs. 22, Lower Fort-st.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT, for Narrabri, to go with another on Wednesday. Glue's agency.

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WANTED, a General SERVANT. Mrs. Solomon's, 689, George-street South.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. 116, Liverpool-street.

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